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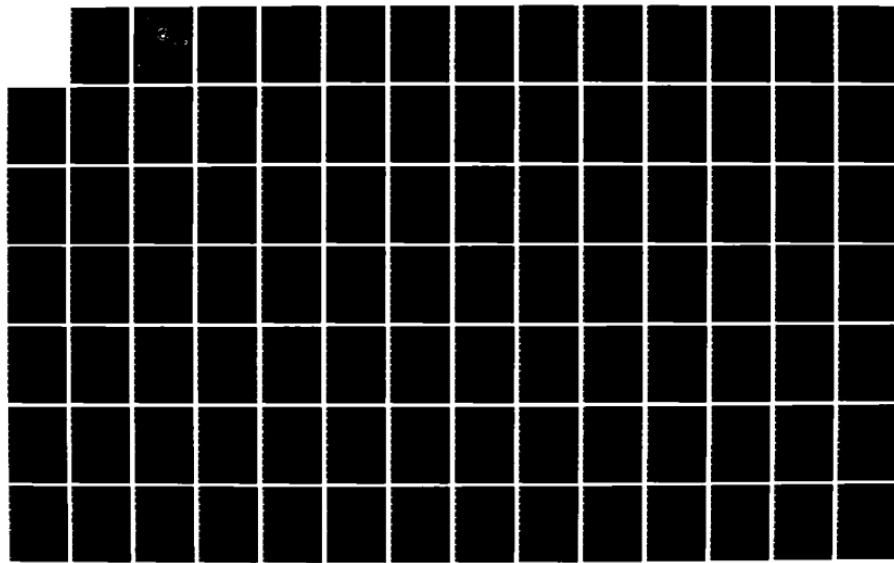
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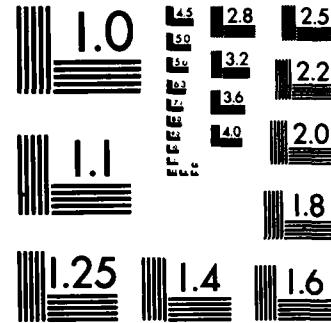
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I. SYNOPSIS

SIMTBED

THE PROGRAM:

Portable FORTRAN program using printer plot graphics
(3 different program versions)

Program will run on:

IBM

VAX

IBM PC

etc.

ca. 900 lines of FORTRAN Code

Memory requirements:

SIMTB1 1 M Bytes

SIMTB2 1 M Bytes

SIMTB3 0.5 M Bytes

(may slightly differ with different type of estimator
functions and subsample sizes)

PURPOSES:

- To explore the distribution of a statistical estimator
- To see how that distribution changes with sample size
- To compare that distribution with the distribution of competing estimators

THE USER SUPPLIES:

A. Optional Parameters:

NE(1),NE(2),...,NE(8) = Subsample Sizes (maximum is 8)

The estimator is computed based on NE(i) data points

N = Total Number of simulated data points per
replication

At Subsample Size NE(i), there are $\lfloor N/NE(i) \rfloor$
independent values of the estimator

M = Number of Replications

When all replications have been run, there are
M* $\lfloor N/NE(i) \rfloor$ independent values of the estimator
at each NE(i)

D = Degree of Regression (maximum D = 3)

L = Number of Subsample Sizes (maximum L = 8)

GRAPHICS and SCALING options

B. Data:

A total of M*N simulated data values are needed. In
SIMTBL and SIMTB2 the same data is used at each
subsample size (NE(i)). In SIMTB3 new data is always
generated.

C. Estimators:

Up to 3 FORTRAN functions (i.e. Estimators) are needed.
They must accept as inputs a data subsample and the size
of that subsample. They must return one value of the
estimator for that subsample.

SIMTBED PRODUCES:

- A one page graphical output (box plots) at each subsample size
- Numerical Summaries at each subsample size (mean, Std. Dev., Std. Dev. of the mean, skewness, kurtosis)
- Regressions to quantify changes in the mean and variance as subsample size changes

II. INTRODUCTION

SIMTBED, with the different versions (SIMTB1, SIMTB2 and SIMTB3) is a graphical display program. The program is based on the program RAGE [Ref. 2]. It is used, with simulated data, on a digital computer. The program can be used to examine statistical estimators of different type, or properties of a single estimator under different distributional assumptions. The distribution of the estimator can be explored for given sample sizes and the properties can be compared for different sample sizes. The estimation conditions are controlled by the experimenter. It is also possible to examine the effects of changes in the underlying distribution of the data.

When the program SIMTB1 or SIMTB2 is used with simulated data, the data is assumed to be independent and identically distributed (iid). This iid data can be sectioned into M independent blocks of specified sample size N . The sample of size N , will be sectioned into smaller subsample of size $NE(k)$. The estimates are then calculated from this subsample of size $NE(k)$.

One salient feature of the program versions SIMTB1 and SIMTB2 is that they use the same batch of simulated random variables to explore the properties of all the estimators at the various subsample sizes. This is done for economy

and could be important on slow computers; the price paid is that the regression analysis provided by SIMTB1 and SIMTB2 of its graphical output is performed on correlated samples.

The version SIMTB3 uses one dimensional data and does not have this repetition feature. New data is used for each calculation of each estimator at each subsample size. The data is generated when the estimator function is called and only the needed batch of the exact subsample size is generated. This technique reduces the memory requirements.

Moreover all data sets are uncorrelated and a much more precise correlation can be performed if required. But this technique increases the computer time.

To use the program it is necessary only to define the optional parameters (see Section IV), supply the simulated random variables or a batch of data points, and provide the FORTRAN functions for the calculation of the estimators which are of interest. The program itself will subdivide the input data and feed the data properly into the functions, scale the graphic display, produce boxplots and summary statistics. A regression will be computed for the mean and variance of each estimator based on inverse subsample size. The result of the regression is displayed graphically and numerically.

The program is written in ANSI Standard FORTRAN (X3.9-1966) and extensively tested on an IBM 3033 computer using FORTRAN IV (H Extended) or FORTRAN IV (G1) compilers. The

program SIMTBED (all versions) provides all subroutines used inside the program. Besides the estimator functions, the user has to provide NO additional subroutines via packages like IMSL. The program should be totally portable; it has been tested under FORTRAN 77 on a VAX 11/780. The only limitation is the available memory.

III. GENERAL IDEA AND DATA STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAM

The main purpose of SIMTBED, with the different versions, is to explore the distributional behavior of estimators and show their properties in a graphical and numerical display. All versions use the same ideas, they only differ in the type of data and the way the data is used inside the program.

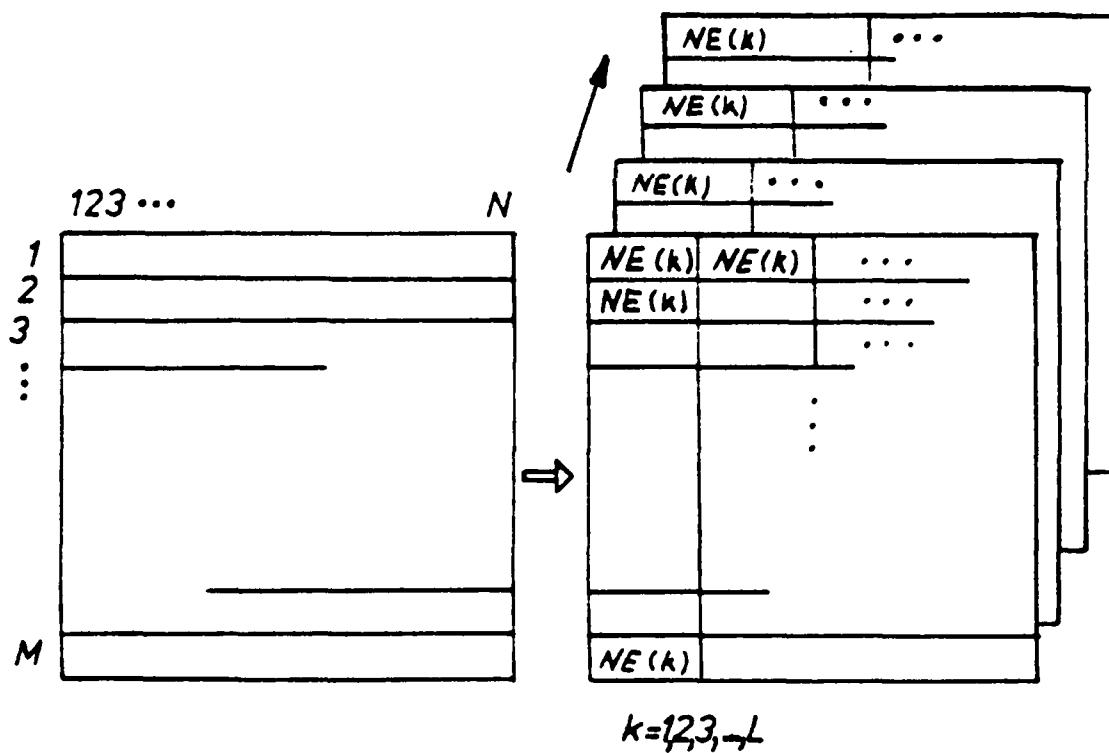


Figure 1. Sectioning of the Data into $M \times N$ Sections

To study the behavior of an estimator the experimenter usually uses well known simulated data. Thus if one is interested in exploring the behavior of estimates of the shape parameter in a Gamma population, one generates Gamma variates from a random number generator package (e.g., IMSL subroutine Chap. G). This batch of simulated data is processed by SIMTBED in the following way.

The data batch is first divided into M independent blocks. Each block contains N data points. So the starting data batch has to consist of $M \times N$ data points (see Figure 1).

All blocks are divided into subsamples of size n_i . The actual subsample size n_i is an element of the subsample size array NE. This array can store up to 8 different values. Then the estimator is calculated for each subsample of size n_i . The estimator function will be calculated $(\lfloor N/n_i \rfloor) \times M$ times. This total population of estimates is used to evaluate the summary statistics for the estimate and construct the corresponding box plot. If NE contains another element, the blocks are divided into the new subsample n_{i+1} size and all calculations are done again.

In addition to the summary statistics and the box plots (see e.g., Figure 3a), a regression on the averages and on the variance is computed, following the methodology of regression adjusted estimate (RARE) developed by Heidelberger and Lewis [Ref. 1].

The RARE estimate is the regression coefficient α_0 . It is the asymptotic estimate of the expected value of the parameter. The unbiased RAGE estimate of the average of the parameter is determined by the regression formula:

$$E(\theta(n_i)) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \frac{1}{n_i} + \alpha_2 \frac{1}{n_i^2} + \dots + \alpha_D \frac{1}{n_i^D}$$

where D is an input parameter.

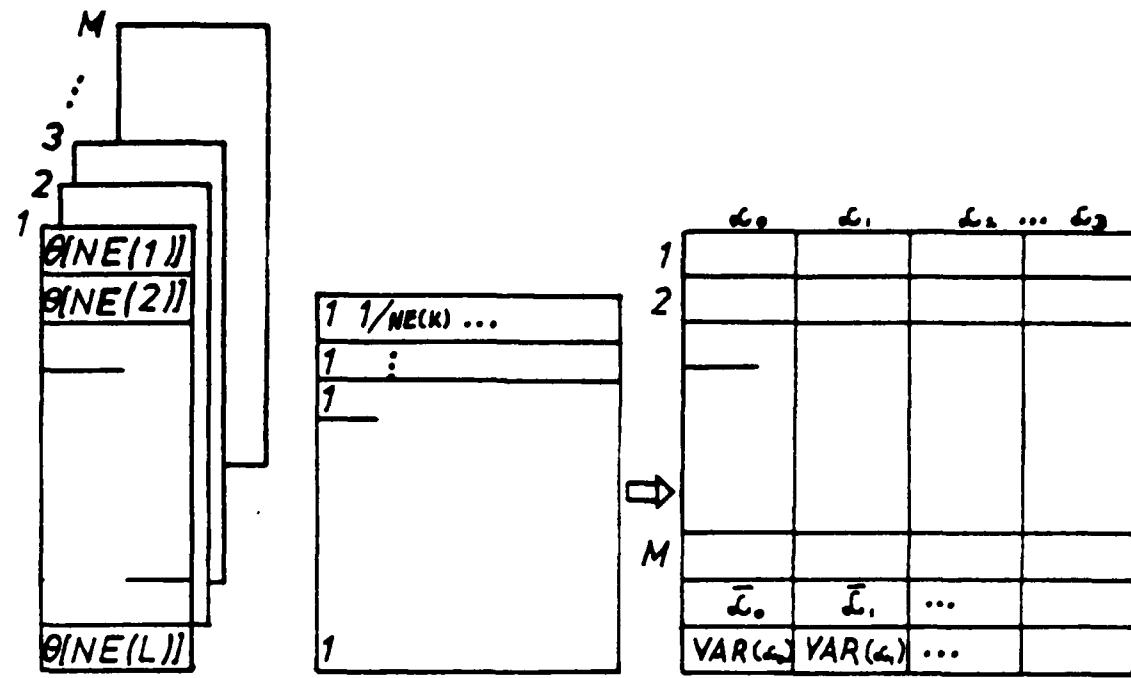
The asymptotic RARE estimate is printed as a dashed line in the graph.

The unbiased RAGE estimate of the variance of the estimator is given by the formula:

$$s^2(n_i) = \beta_1 \frac{1}{n_i} + \beta_2 \frac{1}{(n_i)^{1.5}} + \beta_3 \frac{1}{(n_i)^2} + \dots$$

The regression calculations of the average are done for each block separately. The result are M sets of regression coefficients. The finally printed regression coefficients are the averages of the M replications (see Figure 2). From the set of coefficients the variance and the standard deviation of the regression coefficients is calculated.

The regression on the variance is done once, using all $(M*N)$ data points.



Regression on

Figure 2. Structure of the Regression Coefficients

IV. ARGUMENTS OF THE PROGRAMS SIMTB1 AND SIMTB2

All versions of SIMTBED have in general the same argument list. SIMTB2 (a version for multivariate random variables) has two additional arguments. All arguments will be described in detail and all restrictions or limitations will be discussed. In Section V, detailed examples of setups for SIMTB1 and SIMTB2 are given.

A. X--DATA ARRAY

The array X is the input data array. X is single precision REAL*4, and is generally simulated data e.g., in Section VII, independent Gamma variates.

In SIMTB1 the dimension of the array X must not exceed 50,000.

In SIMTB2 the input data is multivariate and consequently the array X has two dimensions. The size of the dimensions is not directly limited by the program. The space must be provided by the calling program and is passed as an argument (see IR and IRK). The memory requirements increase rapidly as the dimensions of X increase.

B. N--SAMPLE SIZE

The sample size N is the number of data points per section of input data X. N is an INTEGER. Depending on the precision of the simulation that is required, the sample size N can vary from 1 to 50,000.

In SIMTB2 N is the number of multivariate data points per section. M (the number of replications) times N must not exceed IR, the row dimension of X.

If M times N exceeds 50,000 an error message will be printed and the execution will be terminated. If the product M times N exceeds the total number of data points provided by the user, NO error message will signal the user error and the result of the execution is not predictable.

C. M--NUMBER OF REPLICATIONS

The number of replications M of the array X is an INTEGER. M determines the number of sections, into which the data set X is divided. So M*N is the dimension of X in SIMTB1. The parameter M also determines the number of regressions on the mean values that will be run to find the regression coefficients in the regression on the mean. If M is 1 only one regression will be done and no variance and standard deviation of the regression coefficients can be calculated.

D. NE--SUBSAMPLE SIZE ARRAY

The argument NE is an INTEGER array, containing up to 8 subsample sizes. These are the subsample sizes at which the properties of the estimator are to be investigated. NE must always contain 8 elements. If less than 8 subsample sizes are used, the array must be filled up with dummy values. The estimator is calculated for each subsample

individually. The used values of NE (not the dummy values) have to be ordered from the smallest to the largest ($NE(1) < NE(2) < NE(3) < \dots$).

The program can only handle up to a total number of 12,500 estimates. This limit is caused by storage limitations and can be expanded for larger computers. The smallest subsample size $NE(1)$ produces the most estimates and if this case exceeds 12,500 the execution will be terminated and an error message will be printed.

In SIMTB2 all values of NE have to be less than 5,000.

E. L--NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLE SIZES (BOX PLOTS)

The number of box plots L in the graphical output (the number of subsamples at which the estimator is examined), is an INTEGER with values from 1 to 8. The value of L determines how many elements of the array NE the program will use (e.g., $L = 2$, the program uses only $NE(1)$ and $NE(2)$ for the calculations). L determines the number of box plots and the number of corresponding summary statistics in the output. If L is out of range the program will terminate execution and print an error message.

For $L = 1$ no regression is possible. No regression output will be printed.

F. D--DEGREE OF REGRESSION

The degree of regression on the mean D, is an INTEGER with values from 1 to 3. The chosen degree refers to the

number of coefficients calculated and printed for the regression equations. Experience has shown that $D = 3$ is preferable (higher values cause severe numerical problems in the regression computations).

If D exceeds the value of $L-1$, the program reduces D to this number, regardless of the value chosen by the user.

G. RG--REDUCED GRAPHICS

The argument RG is an INTEGER with value:

0 = off ==> full graphics

1 = set ==> reduced graphics

In the reduced graphics case the vertical scale of the graph is reduced by eliminating the outliers. Only the number of outliers is counted and the number is printed. This enables the user to see the body of the boxplot in more detail.

H. SEI--SCALING ESTIMATORS INDIVIDUALLY

The argument SEI is an INTEGER with value:

0 = off ==> common scaling

1 = set ==> individual scaling.

For $SEI = 0$ all printed graphs (max. 3 per program run) are scaled to the same range. This makes the comparison of the different graphs easier. The value $SEI = 1$ causes the program to scale each graph individually.

The argument SEI works in combination with the arguments RG and SVS. The combination of these three arguments make it possible to fit the printed graphs to the needs of the user.

I. SVS--SETTING THE VERTICAL SCALE

The argument SVS is an INTEGER with value:

0 = off ==> automatic scaling

1 = set ==> scaling by the user.

SVS = 0 causes the program to calculate the scale of the graphic printout. The final graphic display is influenced by the chosen values of RG and SEI. The values of YMIN and YMAX are ignored by the program.

For SVS = 1 the user must provide the scaling. The graphics are vertically scaled to a given minimum value (YMIN) and maximum value (YMIN and YMAX). The arguments of RG and SEI are ignored. Only the numbers of outliers outside the display are printed for each box plot.

J. YMIN--MINIMUM VALUE OF THE VERTICAL SCALE

The scaling parameter YMIN is data type REAL*4. It is the lower limit of the vertical scale. It affects the scaling only in combination with SVS = 1. If the chosen value is so large that the value YMIN lies inside the body of the box plot, an error occurs and the program ends with an abnormal ending.

K. YMAX--MAXIMUM VALUE OF THE VERTICAL SCALE

The scaling parameter YMAX is data type REAL*4. It is the upper limit of the vertical scale. The scaling is only effected if SVS has value 1. If the value of YMAX is too small and it lies inside the body of the box plot, the program comes to an abnormal ending.

YMIN and YMAX in combination with SVS = 1 should only be used for well known graphic output. With this option, it is possible to scale the output of different program runs to a common scale. In particular if more than 3 estimators have to be estimated and compared, so that a common scale is needed, this option may be used.

L. NEST--NUMBER OF ESTIMATORS

The parameter NEST is an INTEGER with the value 1, 2 or 3. The value of NEST determines the number of different one-page graphic displays the program produces with one call from the calling program. Usually the value of NEST is equal to the number of different estimators used in the program.

In SIMTB2 the same estimator may be used with different (e.g., normal, exponential etc.) distributed data sets.

M. EST1, EST2, EST3--ESTIMATOR FUNCTIONS

These 3 parameters are data type REAL*4 and are used to pass the EXTERNAL function names to the program. An external declared function is a function which computes the value of an estimator. This function may call other routines, but the final value of the estimator must be passed over this function name.

For SIMTB1 each function must have the two arguments X and NEK (e.g., FUNCTION VARIANCE (X,NEK)). X is the data array and NEK is the number of data elements in X.

SIMTB2 needs for each function four arguments X, NEK, IDR, IRK (e.g., FUNCTION CORRELATION (X,NEK,IDR,IRK)). X is a two dimensional data array and NEK is the subsample size, for which the function is evaluated. IDR and IRK are the dimensions of the array X.

If the user wants to use less than 3 estimator functions, he must use dummy arguments and choose the correct value of NEST. The easiest way to do this is to use a function of a previous used estimator again (for details of the programming see Section V).

N. TTL1, TTL2, TTL3--DESCRIPTION OF THE ESTIMATORS

These arrays are used to pass titles from the calling program to SIMTB. Each title has to be 120 characters long (15 fields, each 8 characters wide). The title is printed below the output of the corresponding function.

If the user uses less than 3 functions and titles, he has to use dummy arguments (for details see Section V).

If the titles are not in the correct format, corresponding to the FORMAT statement the program will not execute properly.

O. IR, IRK--DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAY X

These arguments are used ONLY in SIMTB2. IR (row dimension) and IRK (column dimension) are INTEGERS and have to match the dimension of X in the calling program.

If the dimensions don't match, NO error message will be produced and the output is unpredictable. The error may not be obvious, and the output may look reasonable.

V. DUMMY EXAMPLES OF IMPLEMENTING SIMTB AND SIMTB2 INTO A DRIVER-PROGRAM

The following examples show how the programs SIMTB1 or SIMTB2 can be implemented into a FORTRAN driver-program. The only purpose of the examples is to clarify the FORTRAN implementation, to avoid programming errors by the user. Additional comment lines are added to the program examples.

In the first example SIMTB1 is used to compare two different estimators (VAR and UNBVAR) of the variance of a normal sample. The sample may be generated with a random number generator (e.g., LLRANDOMII).

In the second example SIMTB2 is used to compare the distribution of two estimators. The estimators are the covariance (COV) and the correlation coefficient (CORR) of a bivariate standard normal sample.

A. EXAMPLE 1 USING SIMTB1

MAIN

C EXAMPLE of SIMTB1 Calling program, it has not to be
the MAIN program

```
REAL*4 X(50000), YMIN, YMAX, VAR, UNBVAR
REAL*8 T1(15), T2(15), T3(15)
INTEGER N, M, NE(8), L, D, RG, SEI, SVS, NEST
C
DATA N /2500/
```

```

        DATA M    / 20/
        DATA NE  /10,20,25,50,100,0,0,0/
C  Array NE must have 8 elements, if only 5 are used, add
C  dummy variables and set L = 5

        DATA L    / 5/
        DATA RG   / 0/
        DATA SEI  / 0/
        DATA SVS  / 0/
        DATA NEST/ 2/

        DATA T1  /'ESTIMATE','OF THE V','ARIANCE','USING  ',
+ 'VAR=(1/N)', '*SUM(X(I),'')-XBAR)*', '**2      ',7*'  /
        DATA T2  /'ESTIMATE','OF THE V','ARIANCE ','USING  ',
+ 'VAR=(1/(1',''-N))*SUM',(X(I)-XB','AR)**2  ',7*'  /

C  All 15 fields (each 8 characters) have to be
C  initialized

C

        EXTERNAL VAR, UNBVAR

C

C  Generate M*N independent Normal (0,1) Random numbers
C  and store into X

C

        CALL SIMTBL(X,N,M,NE,L,D,RG,SEI,SVS,YMIN,YMAX,NEST
                  ,VAR,T1,UNBVAR,T2,VAR,T1)

C  EST3=VAR and TTL3=T1 used as dummy variables

C

        STOP

        END

```

```
C
      FUNCTION VAR (X,NEK)
C  Function to calculate the Variance.
C  All calculations inside the function shculd be done in
C  DOUBLE PRECISION
C
      REAL*4 X(N), VAR
      REAL*8 SUM, XBAR, DVAR
C
      SUM=0.0D0
      DO 10 I=1,N
          SUM=SUM+DBLE(X(I))
10  CONTINUE
      XBAR=SUM/FLOAT(N)
      SUM=0.0D0
      DO 20 I=1,N
          SUM=SUM+((DBLE(X(I)))-XBAR)**2
20  CONTINUE
      DVAR=SUM/FLOAT(N)
      VAR=SNGL(DVAR)
C
      RETURN
      END

      FUNCTION UNBVAR (X,NEK)
C  Function to calculate the Variance.
C  All calculations inside the function should be done in
```

```
C  DOUBLE PRECISION

C

      REAL*4 X(N), UNBVAR

      REAL*8 SUM, XBAR, DUNVAR

C

      SUM=0.0D0

      DO 10 I=1,N

          SUM=SUM+DBLE(X(I))

10    CONTINUE

      XBAR=SUM/FLOAT(N)

      SUM=0.0D0

      DO 20 I=1,N

          SUM=SUM+((DBLE(X(I))-XBAR)**2

20    CONTINUE

      DUNVAR=SUM/FLOAT(N)

      UNBVAR=SNGL(DUNVAR)

C

      RETURN

      END
```

B. EXAMPLE 2 USING SIMTB2

```
MAIN

C EXAMPLE of SIMTB2   Calling program, it has not to be
the MAIN program

      REAL*4 X(25000,2), YMIN, YMAX, COV, CORR

      REAL*8 T1(15), T2(15), T3(15)
```

```
INTEGER N, M, NE(8), L, D, RG, SEI, SVS, NEST, IR,  
+          IRK  
C  
  DATA N    /2500/  
  DATA M    / 10/  
  DATA IR   /25000/  
  DATA IRK  /  2/  
C  IR and IRK must be equal to the dimensions of X  
  DATA NE  /10,20,25,50,83,100,125,250/  
  DATA L   /  8/  
  DATA RG  /  0/  
  DATA SEI /  0/  
  DATA SVS /  1/  
  DATA YMIN/ 0.0/  
  DATA YMAX/ 1.0/  
  DATA NEST/  2/  
  DATA T1  /'ESTIMATE','OF THE C','OVARIANC','E      ',  
+11*' '/  
  DATA T2  /'ESTIMATE','OF THE C','ORRELAT1','ON COEFF',  
+'ICIENT  ','10*' '/  
C  All 15 fields (each 8 characters) have to be  
C  initialized  
C  
  EXTERNAL COV, CORR  
C  
C  Generate M*N pairs of independent random bivariate  
C  numbers, each pair being independent N(0,1) random
```

```

C variables and store into X
C

      CALL SIMTB2 (X,N,M,NE,L,D,RG,SEI,SVS,YMIN,YMAX,NEXT
      +           ,COV,T1,CORR,T2,COV,T1,IR,IRK)

C EST3=COV and TTL3=T1 used as dummy variables
C

      STOP

      END

C

C

      FUNCTION COV (X,NEK,IDR,IRK)
C Function to calculate the Covariance.
C All calculations inside the function should be done in
C DOUBLE PRECISION
C

      REAL*4 X(IDR,IRK), COV
      REAL*8 SUM1,SUM2,SUM3,XBAR1,XBAR2,EX1X2,DCOV

C

      SUM1=0.0D0
      SUM2=0.0D0
      SUM3=0.0D0
      DO 10 I=1,N
          SUM1=SUM1+DBLE(X(I,1))
          SUM2=SUM2+DBLE(X(I,2))
          SUM3=SUM3+DBLE(X(I,1)*X(I,2))
10    CONTINUE
      XBAR1=SUM1/FLOAT(N)

```

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XBAR2=SUM2/FLOAT (N)

EX1X2=SUM3/FLOAT (N)

DCOV=EX1X2- (XBAR1*XBAR2)

COV=SNGL (DCOV)

C

RETURN

END

C

FUNCTION CORR (X,NEK,IDR,IRK)

C Function to calculate the Correlation coefficient

C All calculations inside the function should be done in

C DOUBLE PRECISION

C

REAL*4 X(IDR,IRK), CORR

REAL*8 SUM1,SUM2,SUM3,XBAR1,XBAR2,EX1X2,VAR1,VAR2,
+       COV,DCORR

C

SUM1=0.0D0

SUM2=0.0D0

SUM3=0.0D0

DO 10 I=1,N

    SUM1=SUM1+DBLE(X(I,1))

    SUM2=SUM2+DBLE(X(I,2))

    SUM3=SUM3+DBLE(X(I,1)*X(I,2))

10  CONTINUE

XBAR1=SUM1/FLOAT (N)

```

```
XBAR2-SUM2/FLOAT(N)  
EX1X2=SUM3/FLOAT(N)  
SUM1=0.0D0  
SUM2=0.0D0  
DO 20 I=1,N  
    SUM1=SUM1+DBLE(X(I,1)**2)  
    SUM2=SUM2+DBLE(X(I,2)**2)  
20  CONTINUE  
VAR1=(SUM1/FLOAT(N))-(XBAR1**2)  
VAR2=(SUM2/FLOAT(N))-(XBAR2**2)  
COV=EX1X2-(XBAR1*XBAR2)  
DCORR=COV/((VAR1*VAR2)**0.5)  
CORR=SNGL(DCORR)  
C  
RETURN  
END
```

VI. STUDY OF THE BEHAVIOR OF SERIAL CORRELATION ESTIMATES FOR DIFFERENT DISTRIBUTIONS

A. CALCULATION OF THE FIRST SERIAL CORRELATION COEFFICIENT

It is known that for an independent sample from a population with finite variance, the distribution of the serial correlation coefficient (Anderson and Walker, 1964) [Ref. 3] is asymptotically Normal with mean zero and variances $1/n$, where n is the sample size. If the population is i.i.d Normal then the bias is exactly $-1/n$. Since those asymptotic properties are frequently used as approximations in tests of significance, it is important to know how valid the approximation would be in small samples from a variety of distributions. We will look at that question in the next two sections and then go on to consider two alternative measures of correlation, Fisher's z-transform and the 2-fold jackknifed estimate of the correlation. Their ability to reduce bias and/or induce Normality will be examined against other changes in the distribution of the estimators, particularly variance inflation. A simulation study, without graphics, of some of these problems was conducted by Cox (1966) [Ref. 4].

B. SIMTBL OUTPUT FOR SERIAL CORRELATION

Figure 3(a) shows the simulated distribution and sample properties of the serial correlation coefficient estimate

$$r_n = \frac{n \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} (x_j - \bar{x}_1)(x_{j+1} - \bar{x}_n)}{(n-1) \sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - \bar{x}_0)^2},$$

where:

$$\bar{x}_0 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n x_j, \quad ,$$

$$\bar{x}_1 = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} x_j / (n-1), \text{ and}$$

$$\bar{x}_n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=2}^n x_j / (n-1)$$

for various sub-sample sizes $n = n_i$. This definition matches that used by Anderson and Walker (1964). We consider first subsamples of size $n_1 = 10$, and then of size $n_2 = 20$, $n_3 = 30$, $n_4 = 40$, $n_5 = 50$, $n_6 = 75$, $n_7 = 100$ and $n_8 = 150$, successively. For each subsample size the input sample of $N = 5000$ simulated Normal (0,1) random variables is divided into as many full subsamples of size n_i as possible, and the serial correlation is computed for each of the $[N/n_i]$ subsamples of size n_i . The entire procedure is then replicated $M = 10$ times, each time with a new simulated sample of $N = 5000$ Normal (0,1) variables.

After all M replications have been run, all the estimates of serial correlation for each subsample size are grouped together and their simulated distribution is presented via a

boxplot and summary statistics. The boxplot follows the standards discussed in Mosteller and Tukey (1977) [Ref. 5] with the median denoted by a + within the box, the mean by a * within the box, the outliers by 0's, and the far outliers by *'s beyond the whiskers. The summary statistics include the sample mean, sample standard deviation, estimated standard deviation of the sample mean (i.e., sample standard deviation/ $\sqrt{M[N/n_i]}$), sample skewness and sample kurtosis of the correlation estimates.

Looking at the output, the first (leftmost) boxplot in the graph in Figure 3(a) shows the distribution of

$$(\text{\# Replications}) \times \left[\frac{(\text{Simulation Sample Size})}{(\text{Subsample, Size})} \right] = 10 \times \left[\frac{5000}{10} \right] = 10 \times 500 = 5000$$

estimates of serial correlation from independent subsamples of size $n_1 = 10$. Summary statistics for the boxplot can be found below the graph in the column labeled "Subsample Size 10," so that the average serial correlation is -.1074, and the estimated standard deviation is .2996. The estimated standard deviation of the serial correlation estimate is $.2996/\sqrt{5000} = .00424$. Recall that this refers to correlation estimates based on subsamples of size 10.

Since the X-axis of the graph represents subsample size, the last (rightmost) boxplot shows the distribution of

$$10 \times \left[\frac{5000}{150} \right] = 10 \times 33 = 330$$

estimates of serial correlation from independent subsamples of size $n_8 = 150$. Although the 330 estimates are independent of each other, they are not independent of the 5000 estimates that comprise the first boxplot since the same data (divided and processed in different ways) was used for both. Summary statistics show that the average correlation has dropped to -.007372, indicating the fall off in bias, and the standard deviation has dropped to .07822, indicating the greater accuracy with which the correlation can be estimated when 150 points, rather than 10, are available.

In order to quantify the changes that are occurring in the mean and variance of the distribution of the estimator as subsample size changes, SIMTBL performs two types of regressions. The first regression is on the averages and is done after each replication, using the average serial correlation for that replication, \bar{r}_{n_i} , as the dependent variable. Inverse powers of the subsample size serve as the independent variables. For Figure 3(a) the degree of the regression was chosen to be $D = 3$ so, for each replication, the equations we attempt to fit by least squares are:

$$\bar{r}_{n_i} = a_0 + \frac{a_1}{n_i} + \frac{a_2}{n_i^2} + \frac{a_3}{n_i^3} \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, 8.$$

This form anticipates the general asymptotic expansion

$$E(\hat{\theta}(n)) = \theta + \frac{\alpha_1}{n} + \frac{\alpha_2}{n^2} + \frac{\alpha_3}{n^3} + \dots$$

which holds true in the current situation with $\theta = 0$ and (in the Normal case) $\alpha = -1$ (see Cramer (1948) for general results of this type) [Ref. 6].

Values of a_0 , a_1 , a_2 , and a_3 are calculated after each replication, averaged across the M replications to get \bar{a}_0 , \bar{a}_1 , \bar{a}_2 , and \bar{a}_3 , and then the averages are reported below the summary statistics on the line "Mean of Regression on Averages--Coefficients." We find that $\bar{a}_0 = -.000272$ and $\bar{a}_1 = -1.03074$, both close to their theoretical counterparts.

Because we have 10 replications and therefore 10 independent values of each of a_0 , a_1 , a_2 , and a_3 , we can also estimate the variances and standard deviations of a_0 , a_1 , a_2 , and a_3 across replications. These values are presented on the two lines immediately below the coefficients. For instance, the estimated s.d. of the estimate $\bar{a}_0 = -.000272$ of a_0 is .003892.

The regression line for the mean value of the estimator is presented visually in the graph as a dotted curve. The estimated asymptote (i.e., \bar{a}_0) is printed with a dashed line wherever it does not coincide with the regression line. Bias, therefore, can be viewed as the difference between those two lines.

The second regression referred to above is done after all replications have been run and the variances of the estimators

at each subsample size have been calculated. (Note that the standard deviations, not the variances, are presented in the summary statistics.) It should be recalled from previous discussion that these variances, as well as all measures in the summary statistics, are based on the grouping together of the serial correlations from all replications, at each subsample size. This is in contrast to the procedure for the regression on the means, where average correlations are computed for each subsample size for each replication. In the case of the variances, we have 8 equations:

$$\hat{\text{Var}}(r_{n_i}) = \frac{b_0}{n_i} + \frac{b_1}{n_i^{3/2}} + \frac{b_2}{n_i^2} + \frac{b_3}{n_i^{5/2}}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, 8,$$

which we fit by least squares in order to estimate the coefficient β_0 , β_1 , β_2 , and β_3 in the presumed asymptotic expansion .

$$\hat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\theta}(n)) = \frac{\beta_0}{n} + \frac{\beta_1}{n^{3/2}} + \frac{\beta_2}{n^2} + \frac{\beta_3}{n^{5/2}} + \dots$$

This expansion holds for the variance of the estimated serial correlation coefficient for independent data. Usually it will be β_0 in which we are most interested since β_0 is used in computing asymptotic relative efficiencies of estimators. For independent data with finite variance, we know that $\beta_0 = 1$. The computed values of b_0 , b_1 , b_2 , and b_3 , are presented on the line labeled 'Regression on Variance--Coefficients'. Notice that $b_0 = .7438$ is close to the theoretical value of 1.

The final two numbers on Figure 3(a), YMIN and YMAX, simply show the scale of the vertical axis. Because the SIMTBL program option to put Figures 3(a), 3(b) and 3(c) on the same scale was in effect, it may be that no boxplot in a given Figure (e.g., Figure 3(b)) requires the full range of Y-values.

In order to produce Figure 3(b), the Normal (0,1) data that went into Figure 1(a) was squared to create longer tailed $\chi^2(1)$ random variables. The output is entirely analogous to that for Figure 3(a). Similarly, for Figure 1(c), the Normal (0,1) data was exponentiated in order to create Lognormal (0,1) data and to produce analogous graphical output. The indication is that the distribution of the sample serial correlation is robust with respect to the population distribution.

The features of the SIMTBL output will become clearer when they are associated with the various properties of the correlation estimator. First, however, a few technical comments concerning the regressions are necessary.

C. SOME COMMENTS ON THE REGRESSIONS

Two types of problems, numerical and statistical, can occur when attempting to fit the two sets of regression equations presented in Section VI.B.

First, there is the question of numerical stability when the independent variables, $\{1, n_i^{-1}, n_i^{-2}, n_i^{-3}\}$ or $\{n_i^{-1}, n_i^{-3/2}, n_i^{-2}, n_i^{-5/2}\}$ decrease geometrically. If we

attempt to form $X^T X$, where X is the respective design matrix and X^T is the transpose of X , we get values that range from 8 (assuming 8 subsample sizes) to $\sum_{i=1}^8 n_i^{-6}$ for the regression on the means, and $\sum_{i=1}^8 n_i^{-2}$ to $\sum_{i=1}^8 n_i^{-5}$ for the regression on the variances. Experience has shown that attempts to solve systems with such extremes in the $X^T X$ matrix produce erroneous results. Instead, SIMTBL scales the design matrices by multiplying each column of X by $\max_i(n_i)$ raised to the proper power so that no entry becomes too small. The standard Choleski decomposition is then used to fit the equations, and the coefficients are properly rescaled before they are reported. This procedure produces numerically reliable results.

The second problem concerns the breakdown of statistical assumptions in our regression models. It has already been pointed out in Section VI.B that the two sets of dependent variables:

(1) the $\bar{\theta}(n_i)$ when considering the regression on the means;

$$(2) \text{ the } s^2(n_i) = \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{(\hat{\theta}_j(n_i) - \bar{\theta}(n_i))^2}{M[N/n_i]}$$

when considering the regression on the variances, are not independent over i since all are based on the same simulated data. The extent of the dependence is demonstrated by the correlation matrix in Table 1. Entries in that table show the estimated correlation between $s^2(n_i)$ and $s^2(n_j)$ for

TABLE 1

ENTRIES IN THE TABLE ARE THE ESTIMATED CORRELATIONS
 BETWEEN THE ESTIMATED VARIANCES OF THE r_{n_i} AT
 DIFFERENT SUBSAMPLE SIZES:

$$\text{CORR}(s^2(r_{n_i}), s^2(r_{n_j})) \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, 8, j = 1, \dots, 8$$

i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
j	1.00	.49	.46	-.26	.18	-.17	.14	.01
1	.49	1.00	.40	.55	.11	.38	.38	-.03
2	.46	.40	1.00	.23	.23	.44	.21	.29
3	-.26	.55	.23	1.00	.42	.86	.57	.35
4	.18	.11	.23	.42	1.00	.71	.43	.59
5	-.17	.38	.44	.86	.71	1.00	.45	.53
6	.14	.38	.21	.57	.43	.45	1.00	.72
7	.01	-.03	.29	.35	.59	.53	.72	1.00

Recall that r_n is the estimated serial correlation for a simulated Normal (0,1) subsample of size n . Also, the estimated correlations shown above were computed using 10 values (replications) of $s^2(r_{n_i})$ and $s^2(r_{n_j})$ for each i and j .

all i and j , where the estimation was done by repeating the SIMTB1 experiment with 10 different batches of 50,000 simulated random variables. Since only 10 values went into each correlation calculation, the table is only accurate to within approximately $\pm 2/\sqrt{10} = .632$. We see some indication of positive correlation, especially when i and j are close, but the lack of independence is not severe enough to hurt the regression results for either the estimated means or variances significantly.

A second assumption, implicit in any regression, is that the dependent variables have equal variances. This condition holds true for the means, which can be shown to satisfy

$$\text{Var}(\bar{\theta}(n_i)) = \frac{M}{N}$$

independently of i . The estimated variances, however, are not equivalent and, if we assume the $\hat{\theta}_j(n_i)$ to be approximately Normally distributed so that

$$M \sum_{j=1}^{N/n_i} (\hat{\theta}_j(n_i) - \bar{\theta}(n_i))^2$$

is approximately proportional to a $\chi^2_{M[N/n_i]-1}$ random variable, we can compute

$$\text{Var}(s^2(n_i)) \approx \frac{2}{MNn_i - n_i^2}$$

To correct this problem, SIMTBL scales the $s^2(n_i)$ by $\sqrt{n_i}$ so that

$$\text{Var}(\sqrt{n_i} s^2(n_i)) \approx \frac{2}{MN - n_i} \approx \frac{2}{MN}$$

since $MN \gg n_i$. The design matrix is scaled accordingly and the values b_0 , b_1 , b_2 , and b_3 discussed in Section VI.B. are reported.

Table 2 shows the effects of the rescaling by presenting first the estimated variances of the $s^2(n_i)$, where the estimation is done by repeating SIMTBL for 10 batches of 50,000 simulated data points. These estimated variances decrease as n_i increases, closely paralleling the second line of Table 2 which has the approximate theoretical values (i.e., $2/(MNn_i - n_i^2)$). The final line of Table 2 shows the estimated variances of the rescaled $s^2(n_i)$, i.e., the $\sqrt{n_i} s^2(n_i)$, which, as expected and hoped, show a more constant variance with i .

Although future versions of SIMTBL will include more sophisticated regression routines and the ability to generate independent samples at each subsample size, the SIMTBL is quick, usable, and accurate for most situations.

D. INTERPRETING THE SERIAL CORRELATION RESULTS

Returning to Figure 3(a) which shows the simulated distribution of the serial correlation coefficient from independent, Normal (0,1) data, the following comments summarize the most striking features:

TABLE 2

A COMPARISON OF THE ESTIMATED VARIANCE OF $s^2(r_{n_i})$
 WITH THE APPROXIMATE THEORETICAL VARIANCE OF $s^2(r_{n_i})$
 AND WITH THE APPROXIMATELY EQUIVARIANT SCALED
 VERSIONS, $n_i^{-0.5} s^2(r_{n_i})$.

All entries have been multiplied by 10^5 .

$n_i =$	10	20	30	40	50	75	100	150
$\hat{Var}(s^2(r_{n_i}))$.177	.150	.204	.079	.047	.031	.049	.022
Approx. Theoretical $Var(s^2(r_{n_i}))$.400	.200	.133	.100	.080	.053	.040	.027
$\hat{Var}(n_i^{-0.5} s^2(r_{n_i}))$	1.77	2.99	6.12	3.18	2.33	2.33	4.88	3.35

The estimated variances of $s^2(r_{n_i})$ and $\sqrt{n_i} s^2(r_{n_i})$ were
 calculated using 10 independent replications of $s^2(r_{n_i})$.

(a) The boxplots appear very symmetric at all subsample sizes with nearly equal numbers of outliers at either tail and with mean and median coincidental. This observation is confirmed by the estimates of skewness in the summary statistics. Kurtosis is mildly negative at small subsample sizes but, overall, asymptotic Normality seems to take hold rather quickly.

(b) The average serial correlation is negative for small subsamples. This is demonstrated by the dotted regression curve which starts at approximately -.10 and levels off near 0 for subsamples greater than about 85. The dashed asymptote of -.000272 is very close to the theoretical value of 0, and the mean values in the summary table closely reflect the bias of $-1/n$.

(c) The standard deviations of the simulated distributions are very close to the asymptotic values of $n_i^{-0.5}$, although the lead coefficient in the regression on the variances, $b_0 = .743756$, is not as close to the theoretical value of 1 as we would hope. When SIMTBL is repeated 10 times with 10 different batches of simulated data, we find an average value for b_0 to be 1.0604, with a standard deviation for b_0 of .307. The estimation procedure for b_0 , therefore, remains valid, but the estimate itself is highly variable.

The agreement between the simulated and the theoretical, asymptotic values of the bias and variances was discovered previously by Cox (1966). SIMTBL has now allowed us to

automatically look at a broader range of subsample sizes and to see, through boxplots and estimates of skewness and kurtosis, a fuller picture of any changes in the distribution of the estimator. We can be satisfied that estimates of serial correlation do behave approximately as Normal $(-1/n, 1/n)$ random variables when the underlying data is Normal $(0,1)$.

If the lead terms in the expansions of the mean and variance of the estimated correlation coefficient (i.e., a_0 , a_1 , and b_0) had been unknown, we would also have a fairly good idea now of what they were.

When the underlying data is χ_1^2 , Figure 3(b) confirms Cox's observation that the bias is relatively unaffected but, for small subsamples, the standard deviation is smaller than the expected $n^{-1/2}$. Unlike Figure 3(a), there is a pronounced skewness in the boxplots in Figure 3(b) with many more outliers at the positive end, and with the mean higher than the median at the first four subsample sizes. The problem of suppressed variance seems cured at $n_7 = 100$ and $n_8 = 150$, but the skewness remains and could cause problems in tests of significance.

Figure 3(c), which is based on an underlying batch of simulated Lognormal $(0,1)$ data, shows a slight exaggeration of the effects in Figure 3(b). The standard deviation is more suppressed and does not attain the theoretical level by $n_8 = 150$. The positive skewness is more pronounced and kurtosis does not approach the theoretical value of 0.

Overall, the effects of long-tailed data on the distribution of the serial correlation coefficient can be summarized as follows:

- (i) Bias is not significantly effected and remains at approximately $-1/n$.
- (ii) The variance of the distribution of the serial correlation coefficient is reduced by longer-tailed data.
- (iii) Positive skewness is created in the distribution.
- (iv) Kurtosis may become positive at larger subsample sizes.
- (v) For long-tailed data (i.e., Lognormal), a subsample size of 150 is not large enough to insure asymptotic Normality.

E. SIMTBI OUTPUT FOR THE Z-TRANSFORM OF THE CORRELATION
Fisher's z-transform of the estimated correlated coefficient is defined by:

$$z_n = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1 + r_n}{1 - r_n},$$

where r_n is the estimated serial correlation presented in Section VI.B. The transformation is intended to make the distribution of the z_n more Normal than that of the r_n . When the same SIMTBI experiment described in Section VI.B. is run using z_n as the estimator instead of r_n , we get the results shown in Figures 4(a), 4(b) and 4(c). It should

be noted that the scale of the boxplots here has been forced to be approximately comparable to the scale for the boxplots in Section VI.B. This is done by suppressing outliers that are more than 1.5 interquartile distances beyond the quartiles of the boxplot. If we had allowed the data to scale the boxplots, we would have seen a much wider range on the vertical axis because the z_n are not restricted to the limits of -1 to +1 and because there is one far outlier at -3.8. In this type of "reduced graphics," we still see the number of outliers that fall beyond the allowable range through the numbers at the ends of the boxplots, but we do not see their actual locations.

Figure 4(a) shows the distribution of the z -transformed correlation coefficients when the underlying data is simulated, Normal (0,1). At each subsample size, the mean and standard deviation are close to the theoretical n^{-1} and $n^{-1/2}$ respectively. The skewness and kurtosis at subsample size $n_1 = 10$ are far from the theoretical Normal distribution values of 0 and 0, reflecting partly the one far outlier at -3.8 and partly the negative skew in the remainder of the z_{n_1} 's. For other subsample sizes, there is no strong evidence to contradict the assumption of approximate Normality.

The relationship between Figure 4(b) and 4(a) is similar to that between 3(b) and 3(a). Figure 4(b), which is based on simulated χ^2_1 data, shows (a) bias that is the same as for the transformed correlations based on Normal data, (b) slightly

suppressed variances, particularly at small subsample sizes and (c) positive skewness which persists at large subsample sizes. In addition, there are signs of positive kurtosis at small subsample sizes.

Figure 4(c) is based on Lognormal (0,1) data and shows high values of skewness and kurtosis at almost all subsample sizes. Approximate Normality seems an unwarranted assumption. In fact, the kurtosis is converging very slowly to its asymptotic value of 0.

In general, using the z-transform does not help with Normality assumptions, especially when dealing with long-tailed distributions.

F. SIMTBL1 OUTPUT FOR THE 2-FOLD JACKKNIFE OF THE CORRELATION

The final Figures, 5(a), 5(b) and 5(c), deal with the 2-fold jackknife estimate of correlation. Again, the figures are reduced graphics with scaling comparable to that of the boxplots of Sections VI.D and VI.E. To define the estimator, we start with a given subsample of size n , compute the serial correlation for the first $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor$ points and call it $r_1(n/2)$, compute the serial correlation for the second $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor$ points and call it $r_2(n/2)$ and compute the serial correlation for the entire subsample of n points and call it $r_0(n)$. Each computation follows the formula in Section VI.B. The three estimators are then combined to form two pseudo-values,

$$r_1^*(n) = 2r_0(n) - r_1(n/2)$$

and

$$r_2^*(n) = 2r_0(n) - r_2(n/2) ,$$

and the final jackknife estimator for that subsample is defined as

$$\tilde{r}(n) = \frac{r_1^*(n) + r_2^*(n)}{2} .$$

Although a jackknife estimator may have many favorable properties, we are concerned here primarily with its ability to remove bias, hopefully without inflating the variances of the estimator and/or inducing nonnormality.

Figure 3(a), based on simulated Normal (0,1) data, shows nearly complete removal of bias, even at small subsample sizes. The cost of the bias reduction is reflected in an increase of nearly 50% in the standard deviation of the correlation estimate for subsample size 10, and lesser relative increases at larger subsample sizes. There is also an indication of a positive skew for small subsample sizes, and the problem that the jackknife estimator need not fall into the -1 to +1 range which is desirable for a correlation coefficient estimate.

When using simulated χ^2_1 data as in Figure 5(b), or simulated Lognormal (0,1) data as in Figure 5(c), there is again no problem with bias. Variance inflation, though it exists

at small subsample sizes, is not as large as when Normal (0,1) data is used. The distributions of the jackknifed correlations show very pronounced positive skews, however, as well as positive kurtosis. These two problems are worse for the longer-tailed Lognormal data.

Overall, the jackknife estimator is very successful at removing bias but the costs include variance inflation, which can be severe at small subsample sizes, plus increased positive skewness and kurtosis when the estimates are based on data from longer-tailed distributions.

G. COMPARISON OF THE THREE ESTIMATES OF CORRELATION

For Normal (0,1) data, the distribution of the usual correlation coefficient displayed in Figure 3(a) behaves very much as theoretical asymptotic calculations would predict, even at small subsample sizes. This makes it possible to correct for bias in the estimator and to perform tests of significance. Use of Fisher's z-transform, as illustrated in Figure 4(a) does not seem necessary since it does not significantly improve the approximate Normality of the estimator. The jackknife estimator in Figure 5(a) may be valuable if a direct, unbiased estimator is needed but the inflated variance of the jackknife estimator may limit the usefulness of the estimate as well as make any tests of significance too conservative.

When the underlying data comes from a longer-tailed distribution, the usual correlation coefficient in Figures 3(b)

and 3(c) retains a predictable bias term, although the variance of its distribution is slightly depressed and the skewness and kurtosis becomes positive, even for subsamples as large as 150. This means that it is still possible to estimate the correlation accurately, but tests of significance fall on shakey assumptions of Normality. The z-transform in Figures 4(b) and 4(c) does little to firm up those assumptions and, in some cases, makes the situation worse. As in the case of Normal data, the 2-fold jackknifed correlation in Figures 5(b) and 5(c) is bias-free but follows a fairly non-Normal distribution which would invalidate significance testing.

All of the preceding observations and conclusions flow immediately from the nine figures presented so far. Further studies could easily be done through SIMTBL, looking at larger subsample sizes, correlated data, and alternative marginal distributions. For demonstration purposes, though, it is better to proceed to our second application.

VII. STUDY OF PROBLEMS OF ESTIMATING SHAPE PARAMETERS FOR HIGHLY SKEWED DISTRIBUTIONS

A. ESTIMATING THE SHAPE PARAMETER FOR A GAMMA DISTRIBUTION

As a second application of SIMTBL, we will consider a problem which has received much less statistical attention; asymptotic results are summarized in Cox and Lewis (1966, Ch. 2) [Ref. 7] and Johnson and Kotz (1970, Ch. 17) [Ref. 8]. We want to estimate the shape parameter, K , for a Gamma distribution, where the Gamma density is given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{K}{u}^K \frac{x^{K-1}}{\Gamma(x)} e^{-Kx/u} & x > 0; \quad K > 0; \quad u > 0 \\ 0 & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Notice that the mean of this distribution is u , not K/u as in some differently parameterized versions of the Gamma density. For the data that will be simulated for use in SIMTBL we will use $K = 5$ and $u = 1$ and $K = 0.25$ and $u = 1$. The closer the mean of our estimate is to 5 or 0.25, the better (in terms of bias) is our estimation procedure. Other factors such as the variance and Normality of the estimator will of course also have influence in the determination of a preferred estimator.

Section VII.B will compare the commonly used maximum likelihood estimator to the competing method of moments

estimator. Both procedures result in asymptotically Normal estimators (Cramer, 1948) but the m.l.e. is usually preferred because of its favorable asymptotic relative efficiency (Cox and Lewis, 1966) [Ref. 7]. Through SIMTBl, though, we will see that for small subsamples the estimated variances of the two estimators of K are not as far apart as asymptotic results lead us to believe. In addition, the bias that appears in both estimators is smaller for the moment estimator.

In Section VII.C. we will use a four-fold jackknife of both the m.l.e. and moments estimators to successfully remove the bias. What is remarkable is that, unlike the jackknifing of the serial correlation, there is little or no cost in terms of variance inflation and nonnormality for the jackknifed moment estimator. When $K = .25$, we will see in Section VII.D. that the jackknifed m.l.e. dominates the other three estimators at all subsample sizes when considering the mean, variance, and Normality of the estimator.

B. MAXIMUM LIKELIHOOD AND MOMENT ESTIMATORS OF K

Figure 6(a) is very similar in format to the figures that have already been presented for the correlation example except that:

(1) The estimator whose distribution is being displayed is the maximum likelihood estimator of K , the shape parameter of a Gamma(5) population. We denote the estimator, computed from a simulated subsample of size n , by $\hat{K}(n)$ and define it

to be the solution of the equation:

$$n[\log \hat{K}(n) - \Psi(\hat{K}(n))] = n \log \sum_{i=1}^n x_i/n - \sum_{i=1}^n \log x_i,$$

where the x_i are the simulated Gamma(5) random variables and $\Psi(\cdot)$ is the digamma function (Cox and Lewis, 1966).

(2) The eight subsample sizes which we will be looking at are $n_1 = 33$, $n_2 = 50$, $n_3 = 71$, $n_4 = 100$, $n_5 = 125$, $n_6 = 166$, $n_7 = 250$ and $n_8 = 500$. We will not see as much detail at small subsample sizes but we will see some of the asymptotic ($n = 500$) effects coming in.

(3) At each subsample size we will work with $M^* = 20$ independent replications of $N^* = 2500$ simulated Gamma(5) random variables, instead of the $M = 10$ replications of $N = 5000$ variables used previously. The total number of independent simulated random variables across replications remain constant at the program maximum of 50,000. Hence, the boxplot at subsample size 50 in Figure 6(a) represents the distribution of $M^* \lfloor N^*/50 \rfloor = 1000$ estimates of $\hat{K}(50)$ just as the boxplot at subsample size 50 in Figure 3(a) represents the distribution of $M \lfloor N/50 \rfloor = 1000$ estimates of $r(n)$. As long as the product, $M \times N$, remains constant, the only effect that changing the number of replications has, up to rounding in $\lfloor N/n_i \rfloor$, is to change the results in the regression on the averages. By using $M^* = 20$ and $N^* = 2500$, SIMTBL reports regression coefficients averaged over 20 replications, but,

within each replication, the dependent variables are averages over just $[2500/n_i]$ values of the estimator.

(4) The boxplots are presented using the reduced graphics option. In this option any extreme outliers (i.e., those beyond 1.5 interquartile distances) are included as a count at the tail of each boxplot. This option was chosen in order to give more graphical weight to the body of the distributions and the fall-off in the bias. Limited printer resolution makes it impossible to show details in the body and the tails of the distributions if there are many straggling outliers. In the case of very extreme outliers, no detail would be seen in the body of the boxplot without the reduced graphics option.

Figure 6(b) looks at the distribution of the moment estimator of K , the shape parameter of a Gamma (K) population:

$$\tilde{K}(n) = (n-1) \bar{X}^2 / \sum_{i=1}^n (X_i - \bar{X})^2 ,$$

where $\bar{X} = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i / n$, n is the subsample size, and the X_i are the simulated Gamma(5) random variables. The SIMTBL options and parameters mentioned in (2), (3) and (4) preceding are also in effect here.

The two Figures, 6(a) and 6(b), show a very pronounced bias in both estimation procedures, although the moment estimator is slightly closer to the unbiased value of 5. As expected, the standard deviation of the m.l.e. is lower than that of the moment estimator although the relative

difference at small subsample sizes, for instance 1.448 versus 1.482 at $n_1 = 33$, may not outweigh the increase in bias with the m.l.e. At larger subsample sizes, the relative difference is close to the theoretical asymptotic relative efficiency of .78 (i.e., .91 at $n_7 = 250$).

Both estimators also show distributions with positive skewness and kurtosis that decrease to the asymptotic 0 levels as subsample size increases. The asymptotics appear to take hold more quickly for the moment estimator than for the m.l.e.

In summary, SIMTBL shows that the m.l.e. is indeed better than the moment estimator in terms of variance, but not as good for small sample sizes as asymptotic results would lead us to believe. In the other areas of bias and asymptotic Normality, the moment estimator would have to be preferred.

C. 4-FOLD JACKKNIFED ESTIMATORS OF K

Figures 6(c) and 6(d) show the distributions of the 4-fold jackknife m.l.e. of K and 4-fold jackknifed moment estimator of K, respectively. A 4-fold jackknife estimator is similar to the 2-fold jackknife estimator described in Section VI.F. except that there are 4 pseudo-values that come out of dividing each subsample into fourths. More details can be found in Mosteller and Tukey (1977) [Ref. 6].

The purpose of the jackknife is to remove the conspicuous bias observed in Figures 6(a) and 6(b). This goal is seen to be accomplished in Figure 6(c) and 6(d) and we can also note

smaller values of skewness and kurtosis, indicating a quicker approach to asymptotic Normality. The skewness and kurtosis of the jackknifed moment estimator are the lowest, at small subsample sizes, among all estimators. The variance of the jackknifed moment estimator is also only slightly inflated, as is the variance of the jackknifed m.l.e.

All told, the jackknifed moment estimator, because of its lack of bias, small variance, and low skewness and kurtosis, would be the method of choice if estimation of K or significance testing was the goal.

D. RESULTS FOR $K = 0.25$

In Figures 7(a), 7(b), 7(c) and 7(d) we show similar results to those discussed above for the case $K = 5.0$, but using $K = 0.25$. The fact (Cox and Lewis, 1966, Ch. 3) [Ref. 7] that the m.l.e. estimate is much more efficient than the moment estimate is graphically illustrated. What is new is the effect of jackknifing: bias is reduced without the sacrifice of variance inflation or nonnormality.

Further comparisons and interpretations are similar to those done for the case $K = 5.0$, and are left to the reader.

E. CONCLUSIONS

Simply by providing SIMTBL with the desired estimators, we have been able (a) to explore in depth the effects of changes in data distribution and of different estimation procedures on the calculation of the serial correlation

coefficient, and (b) to compare four different ways to estimate the shape parameter in a highly skewed Gamma population.

The graphics and numerical output combine to let us see and quantify distributional changes that occur as subsample size grows. We can see bias fall away, variance shrink, and skewness disappear as the estimator approaches asymptotic Normality. Terms in the asymptotic expansion of the mean and variance of the estimator are automatically calculated and can be used to compare different estimators.

VIII. COMPARISON OF DIFFERENT METHODS FOR ESTIMATING THE VARIABILITY OF THE STANDARD DEVIATION OF CORRELATION ESTIMATES

A. INTRODUCTION

Bradley Efron and Gail Gong (1982) review in their article, "A Leisurely Look at the Bootstrap, the Jackknife, and Cross-Validation" [Ref. 9] different methods for estimating statistical error of parameter estimates. They discuss in particular the problem of estimating the error of a statistical estimator with the example of the estimates of the standard error for the correlation coefficient of a bivariate normal distribution. They compared the standard deviation estimates of different methods using 200 simulations at one fixed sample size of 14.

SIMTB2 was used to explore the distributions of the estimates they used in their article. The bootstrap, the jackknife, the infinitesimal jackknife (delta method) and the normal theory are the methods for which the distributions were explored. The estimation methods will not be explained in detail (see Efron and Gong in The American Statistician, Feb. 1983, Vol. 37, No. 1), only the setup of SIMTB2 and the output will be discussed.

B. SETUP OF SIMTB2 AND THE ESTIMATOR FUNCTIONS

The bivariate normal distributed input data with known correlation 0.5 was generated with an IMSL random number

generator (GGNSM). 14,000 bivariate data points were generated and then sectioned into 10 blocks, each having 1,400 points ($M = 10$, $N = 1400$). The subsample sizes ($NE(k)$) used are 10, 14, 20, 28, 35, 40, 70 and 100. Only subsample size 14 was used by Efron and Gong.

The program had to be run with 5 different standard deviation estimator functions. SIMTB2, as the other versions, can only handle up to 3 estimator functions in one program run. To make the given outputs comparable the fixed scale option ($SVS = 1$, $YMIN = 0.0$ and $YMAX = 0.7$) was chosen.

The bootstrap estimate of standard deviation was done with 2 different numbers of bootstrap replications ($B = 128$, $B = 512$). So for the subsample size of 14, the bootstrap procedure with B bootstrap replications in itself was done ($1400/14 = 100$; $100*10 = 1000$) 1,000 times.

The jackknife function followed the standard jackknife procedure and used the jackknife formula for the standard deviation:

$$s_{\text{jack}} = \left[\frac{n-1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (\bar{x}_{(i)} - \bar{x}_{(\cdot)})^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

with

$$\hat{\theta}_{(j)} = \hat{\theta}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n) \text{ for } \bar{x}_{(i)}$$

and

$$\hat{\theta}(.) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\theta}(i) \quad \text{for } \bar{X}(.)$$

The delta method (infinitesimal jackknife) function calculated the estimate with the formula:

$$s_{\text{Delta}} = \left\{ \frac{\hat{\mu}_{40}^2}{4n} \left[\frac{\hat{\mu}_{20}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{02}^2} + \frac{\hat{\mu}_{04}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{02}^2} + \frac{2\hat{\mu}_{22}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{20}\hat{\mu}_{02}} + \frac{4\hat{\mu}_{22}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{11}^2} - \frac{4\hat{\mu}_{31}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{11}\hat{\mu}_{02}} - \frac{4\hat{\mu}_{13}^2}{\hat{\mu}_{11}\hat{\mu}_{02}} \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

with

$$\hat{\mu}_{gh} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{Y})^g (z_i - \bar{z})^h$$

and

$$x_i = (y_i, z_i)$$

In doing the actual calculations for the delta method, for small subsample sizes (10, 14, ..., 40) the value of the variance becomes negative. A negative variance can not be interpreted with much meaning. The number of negative values goes down (from 305 for $NE(1) = 10$ to 18 for $NE(6) = 40$) with increasing subsample size. Most of the negative values are small. To solve the programming problem (square root of a negative number) the function sets this negative value to 0.0D0.

For the normal theory estimate, instead of carrying out a bootstrap, an approximation formula was used. It is the

same formula the article uses for the comparison.

$$s_{\text{norm}} = \frac{(1 - \hat{\rho}^2)}{\sqrt{(n - 3)}}$$

See Efron and Gong for details.

C. INTERPRETING THE SIMTB2 OUTPUT

The output of the program runs is provided as Figures 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. A comparison of the numerical output (subsample size 14) with the results is done in Table 3.

The bootstrap procedure (Figures 8 and 9) was done with 2 different numbers of bootstrap replications ($B = 128$ and $B = 512$). Both distributions for the standard deviation (S.D.) look very similar. Both are positively skewed with some outliers at the right tail. In both cases the outliers are in the same range. As the boxplots and the summary statistics show, the increase of the number of bootstrap replications (B) does not result in a large improvement in the performance of the estimation function.

The jackknife estimate (Figure 10) has a positively skewed distribution with outliers. The distribution of the jackknife estimate looks very similar to the distribution of the bootstrap estimates. For small subsample sizes the bootstrap distribution has more outliers. Overall the performance of the jackknife procedure is as good as the bootstrap, but the jackknife needs less computer time.

TABLE 3

ESTIMATES OF THE STANDARD DEVIATION FOR THE CORRELATION
COEFFICIENT FOR A BIVARIATE NORMAL WITH TRUE CORRELATION
 $\rho = .5$

Summary Statistic 200 Trials (Efron & Gong (1982))				Summary Statistic 1000 Trials SIMTB2 (M = 10, N = 1400, NE(k) = 14)			
Ave	S.D.	CV	\sqrt{MSE}	Ave	S.D.	CV	\sqrt{MSE}
Bootstrap B = 128	.206	.066	.32	0.062	.212	0.059	.28
Bootstrap B = 512	.206	.063	.31	0.064	.212	0.058	.27
Jackknife	.223	.085	.38	0.085	.226	0.086	.38
Delta Method	.125	.058	.33	0.022	.157*	0.096*	.61*
Normal Theory	.217	.056	.26	0.056	.217*	0.055	.25
True Value							.218

* negative values set to 0.0

The distribution of the estimates produced by the delta method (Figure 11) is negatively skewed and has nearly no outliers. But in calculating the estimates the problem of negative values for the variance came up. For some subsamples, the final estimate (the standard deviation) could not be calculated, since the corresponding value of the variance was negative. In these cases, the standard deviation was set to 0.0. This procedure influences the distribution and the summary statistics. The influence is more important for small subsample sizes than for larger ones. So the graphical and numerical output should be seen with this fact in mind.

The normal theory function (Figure 12) produces estimates with a negatively skewed distribution but only a few outliers and the distribution is tailed to the left. The tail of the distribution is in the opposite direction of all other distributions. For the estimate of the standard deviation for the correlation coefficient the result of the normal theory is close to the true result. This may not be valid for other estimators.

In addition to the comparisons Efron and Gong did, with SIMTB2 it is easy to investigate how the sample size will influence the estimate of the standard deviation of the correlation coefficient. In Table 4 the methods are compared for a subsample size of 10 and 100. With increasing subsample size the quality of the estimate should improve, but the

TABLE 4

ESTIMATOR OF THE STANDARD DEVIATION FOR THE CORRELATION
 COEFFICIENT FROM A BIVARIATE NORMAL WITH TRUE CORRELATION
 $\rho = 0.5$ AT DIFFERENT SAMPLE SIZES.
 SIMTB2 (M = 10, N = 1400)

1400 Trials				140 Trials			
Subsample Size 10				Subsample Size 100			
	AVE	S.D.	C.V.		AVE	S.D.	C.V.
Bootstrap $B = 128$	0.26	0.083	0.32	0.083	0.087	0.0076	0.088
Bootstrap $B = 512$	0.26	0.082	0.32	0.082	0.087	0.0077	0.088
Jackknife	0.28	0.13	0.46	0.13	0.076	0.011	0.14
Delta Method	0.18*	0.12*	0.64*	0.148*	0.071*	0.016*	0.22*
Normal Theory	0.027	0.082	0.31	0.082	0.076	0.0076	0.1
True Value	0.267				0.0753		

* negative values for variance set to 0.0

improvement may be different for the different methods of estimation. By making the subsample size 10 times larger, with the SIMTB2-side effect of reducing the total number of calculated estimates, the bootstrap improves less than the jackknife, delta method and normal theory.

IX. FINAL CONCLUSIONS

SIMTBED with the different versions can be used on digital computers of different size (mainframe to micro) and type. The limitations in using the program are given more by hardware constraints like memory size and computer time than by the program itself.

The FORTRAN program is completely portable, changes in the code, may only be necessary to adapt the program to special restrictions given by a special type of hardware. This may occur in using micro computers more often than with mainframe computers. Up to now all versions of code are written for the more normal standard computer environment and do not need special equipment (color printer, etc.). Additionally hardware dependent features like color output can improve the graphics of the program.

SIMTBED makes it easy to evaluate the result of statistical experiments. The combination of graphics and numerical summaries for different sample sizes make it easy to judge the distributional behavior of a statistical estimator. The result can be seen without additional computations in the graphic outputs. Comparing only the boxplots it is possible to judge the influence of subsample size on the variability of an estimator.

Besides for research the program can be used in showing students the distributional behavior of different estimators in a pictorial way. It is easy to compare the different behavior of similar estimators (e.g., biased vs. unbiased estimator of the variance) for different sample sizes.

The easy use and the fast visual impression of the distributional behavior of an estimator, given by the graphic output is one of the advantages in using SIMTBED. Besides this fast first visual impression all necessary and needed numerics are given for further and deeper investigations.

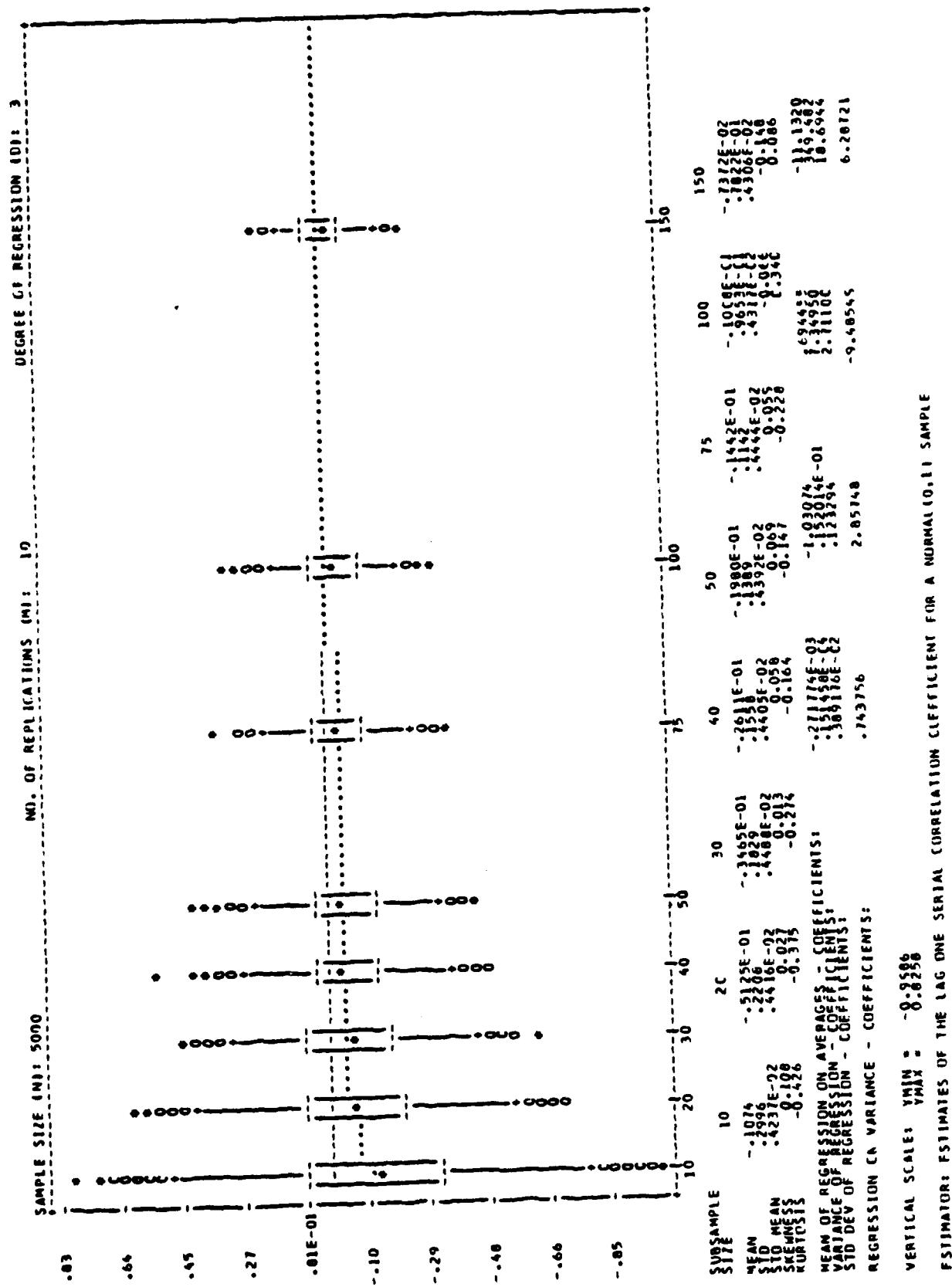


Figure 3a. Estimates of the Lag One Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Normal (0,1) Sample

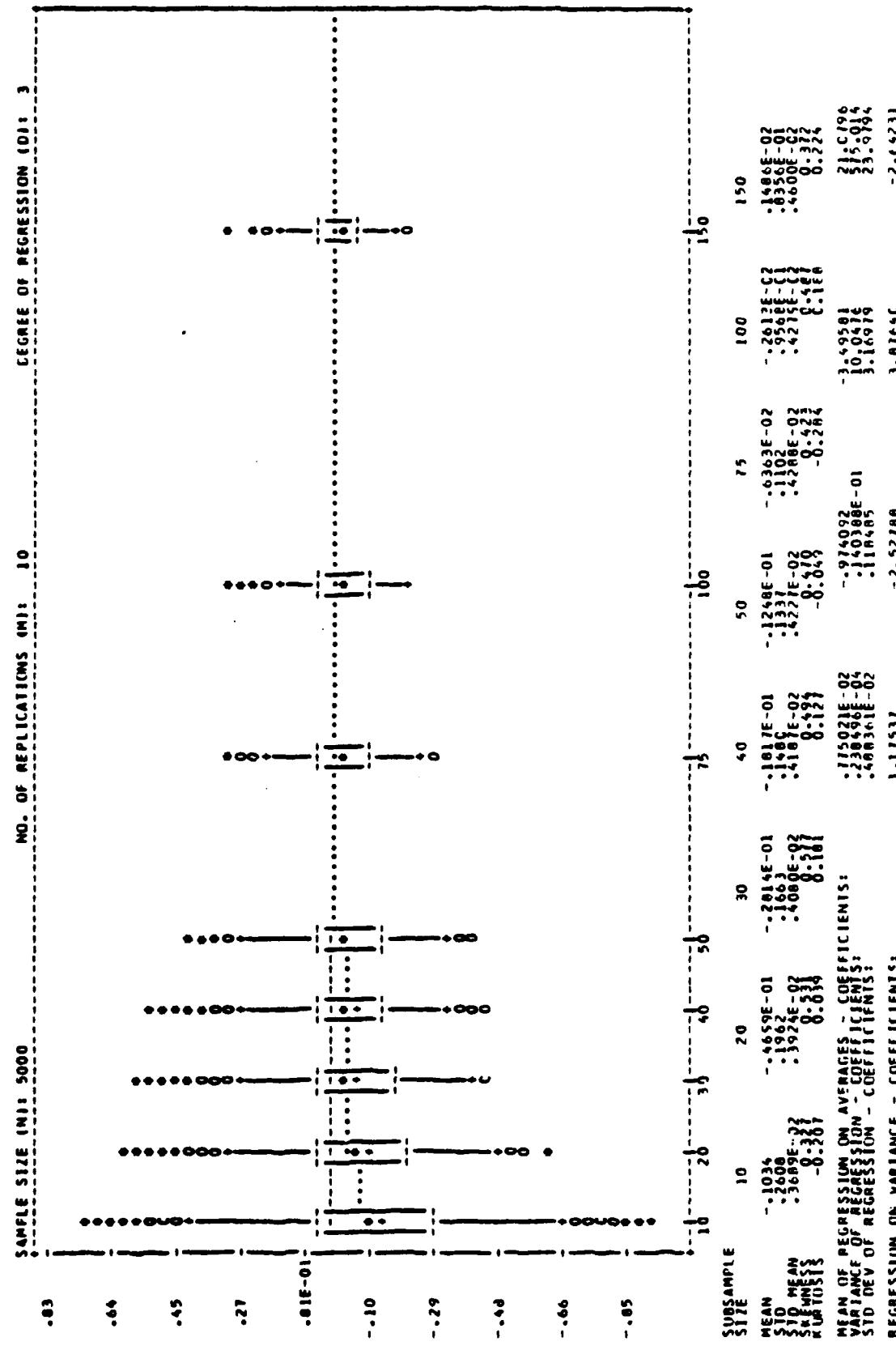


Figure 3b. Estimates of the Lag One Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Chi-Square (1) Sample

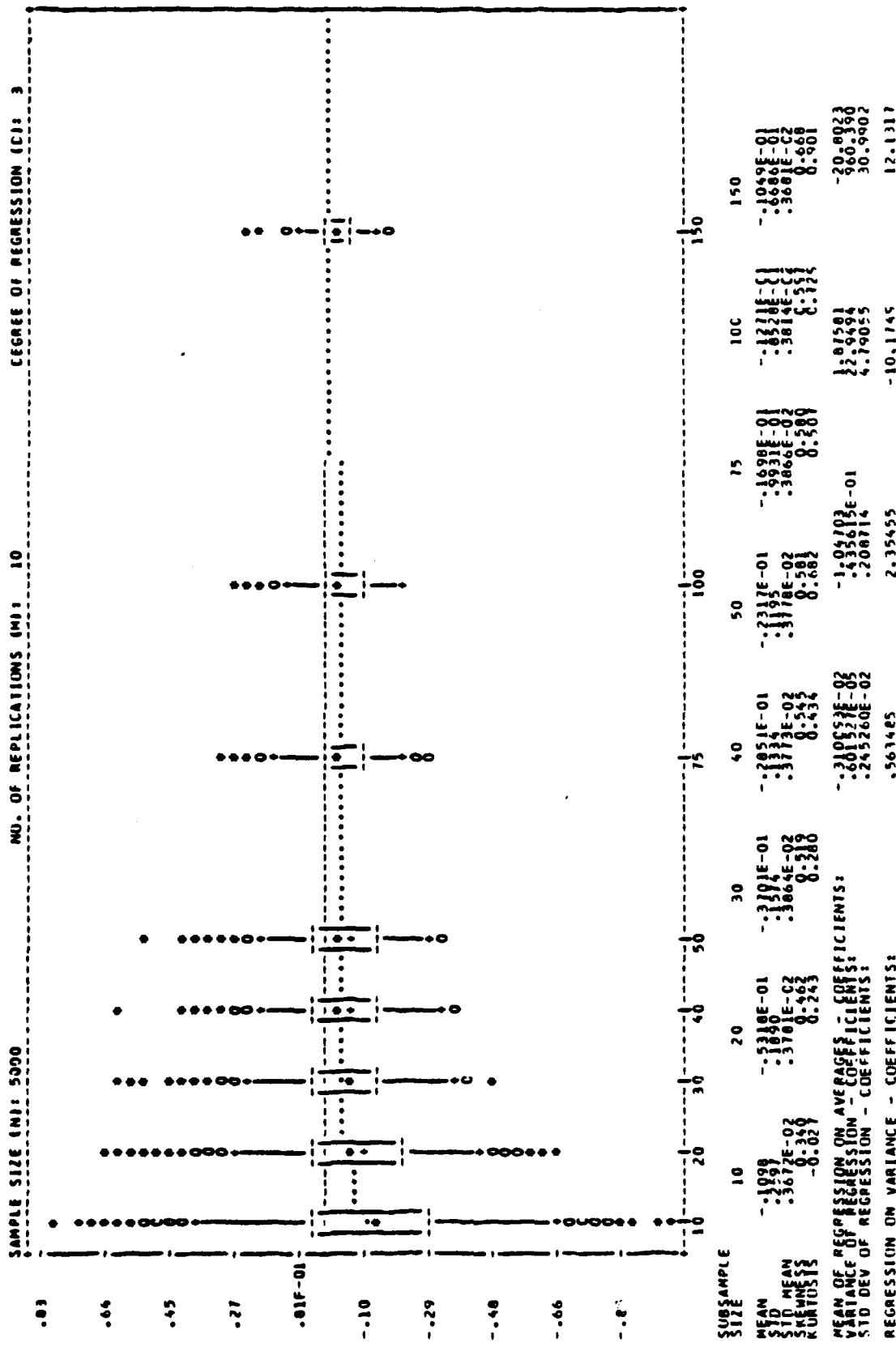


Figure 3c. Estimates of the Lag One Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Lognormal(0,1) Sample

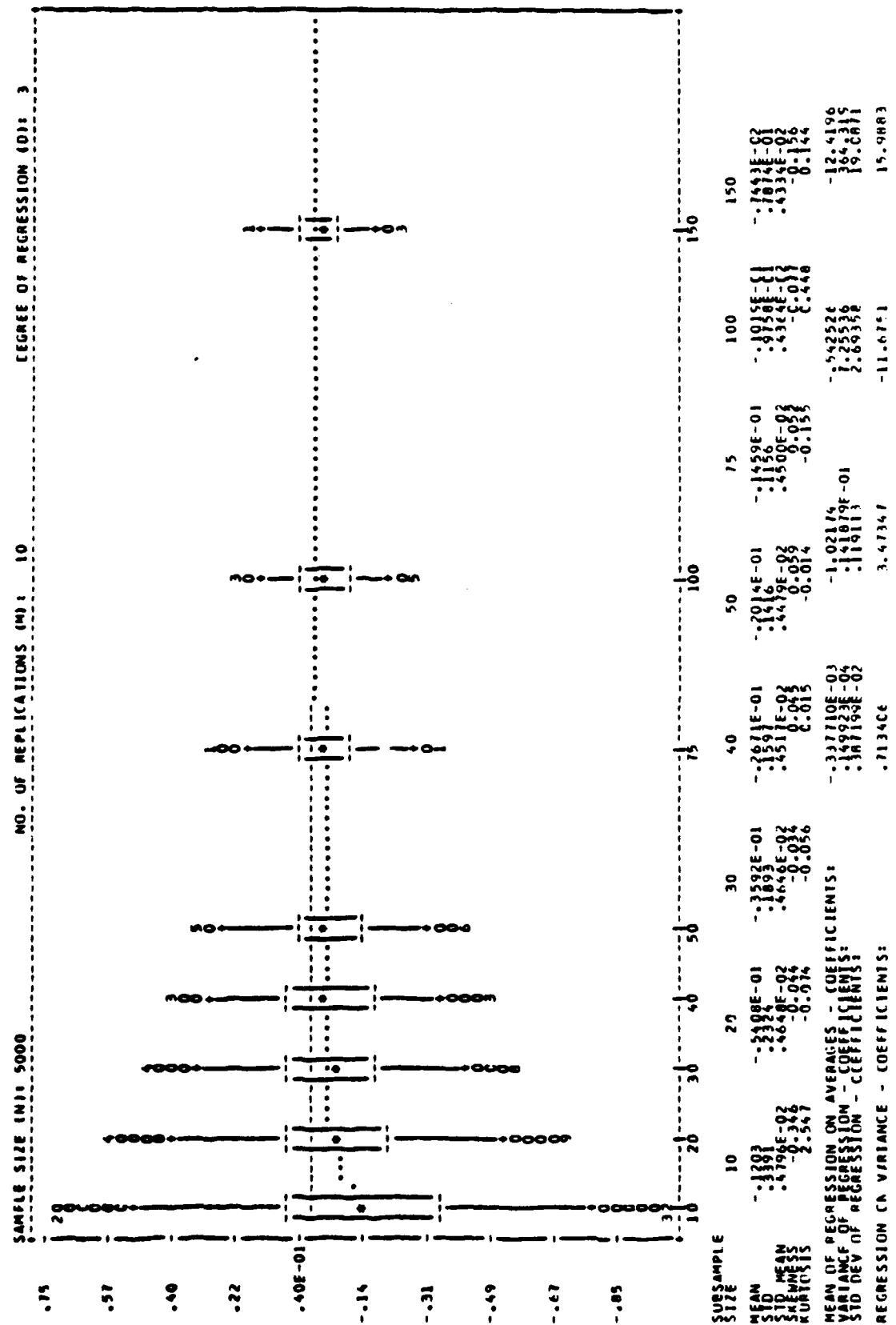


Figure 4a. Estimates of the Z-Transform of the Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Normal (0,1) Sample

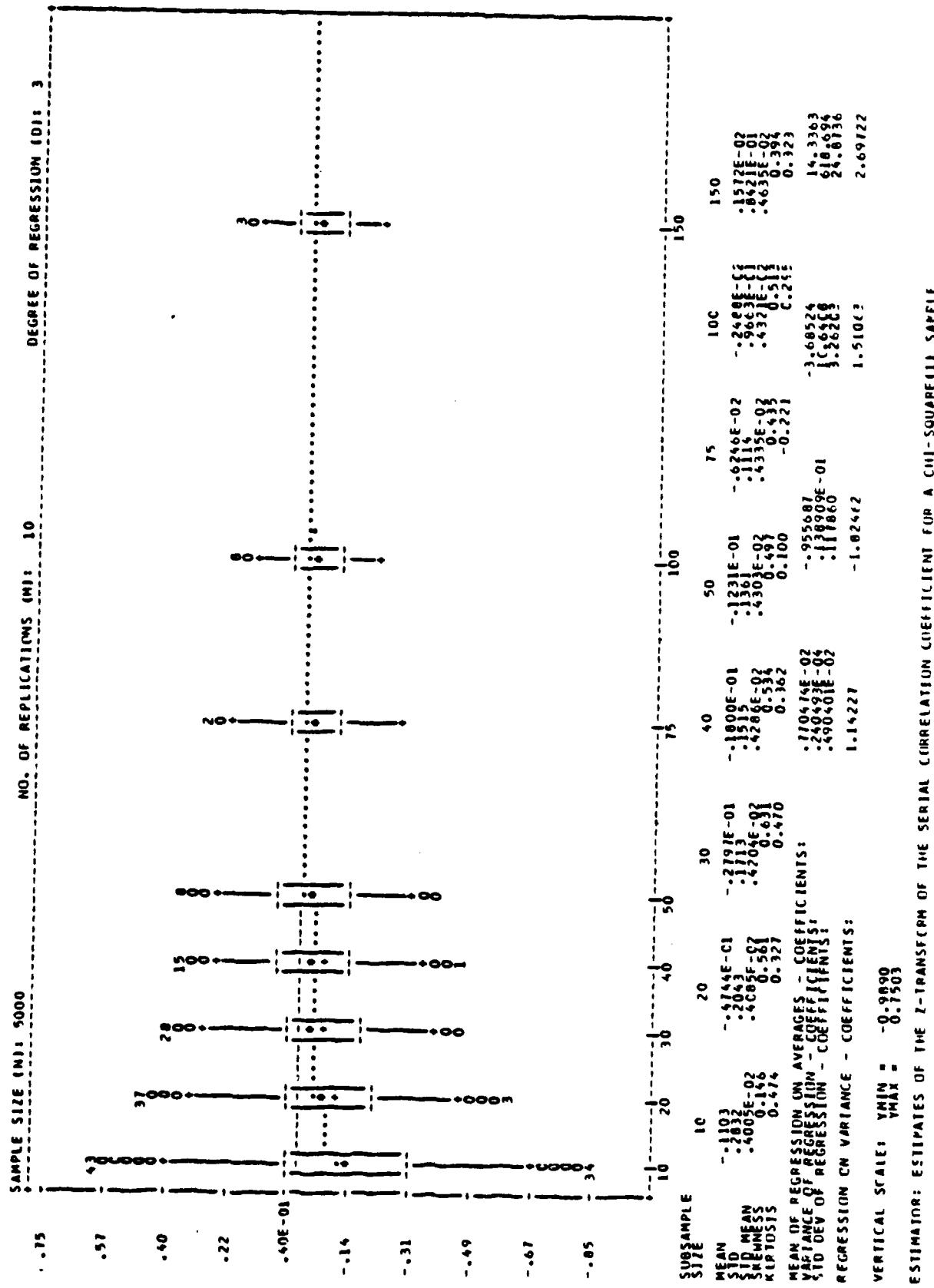


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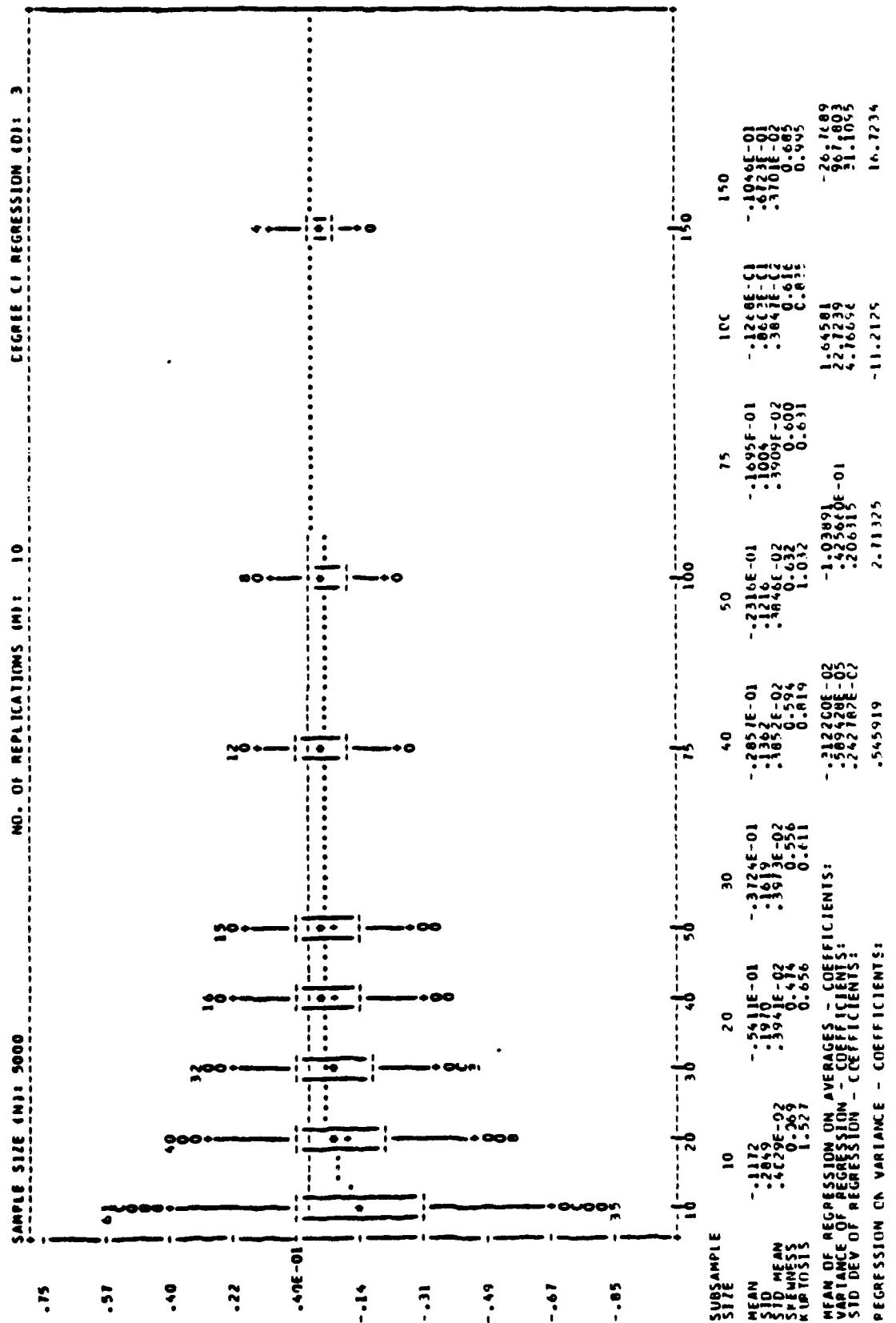


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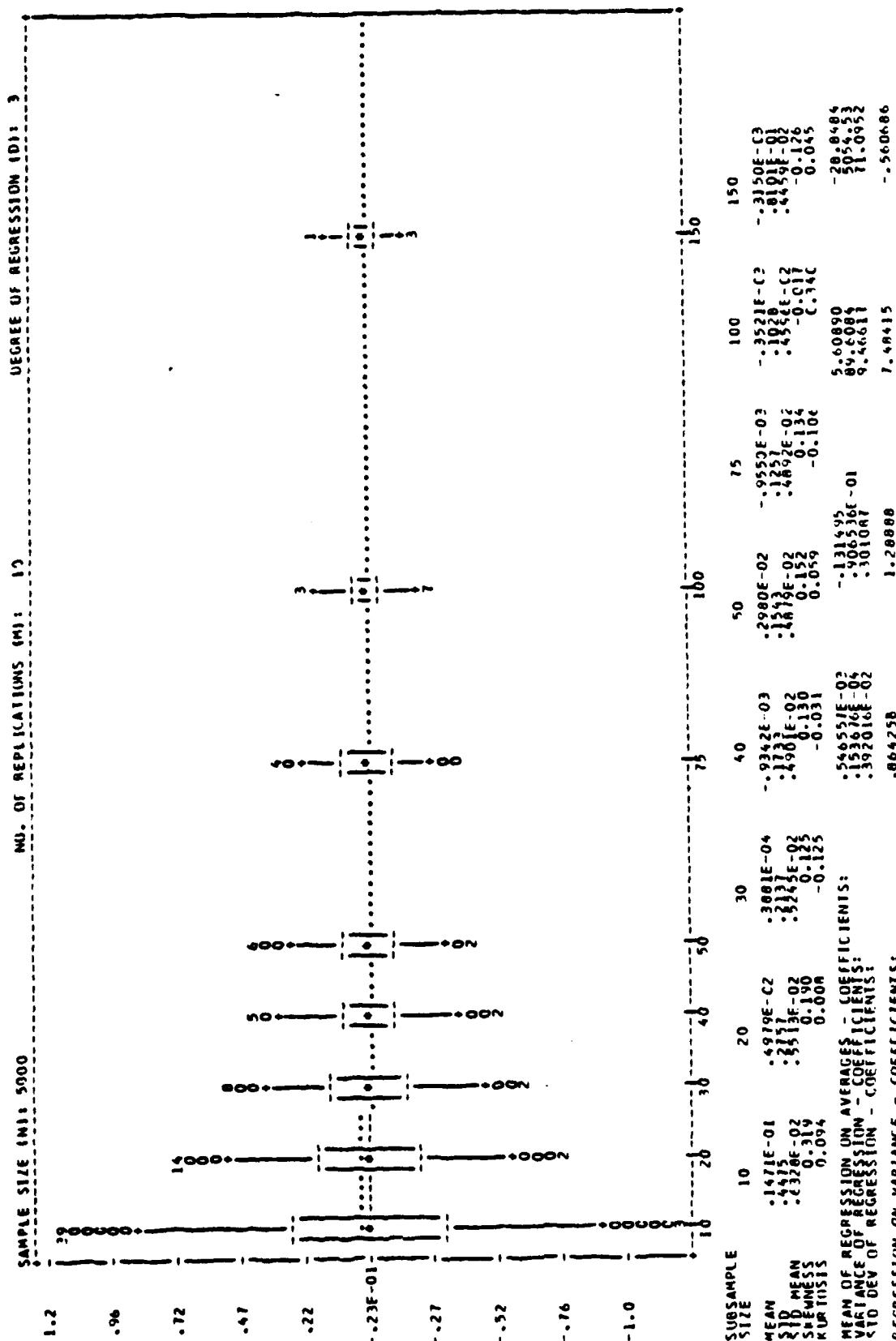


Figure 5a. Estimates of the 2-Fold Jackknifed Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Normal (0,1) Sample

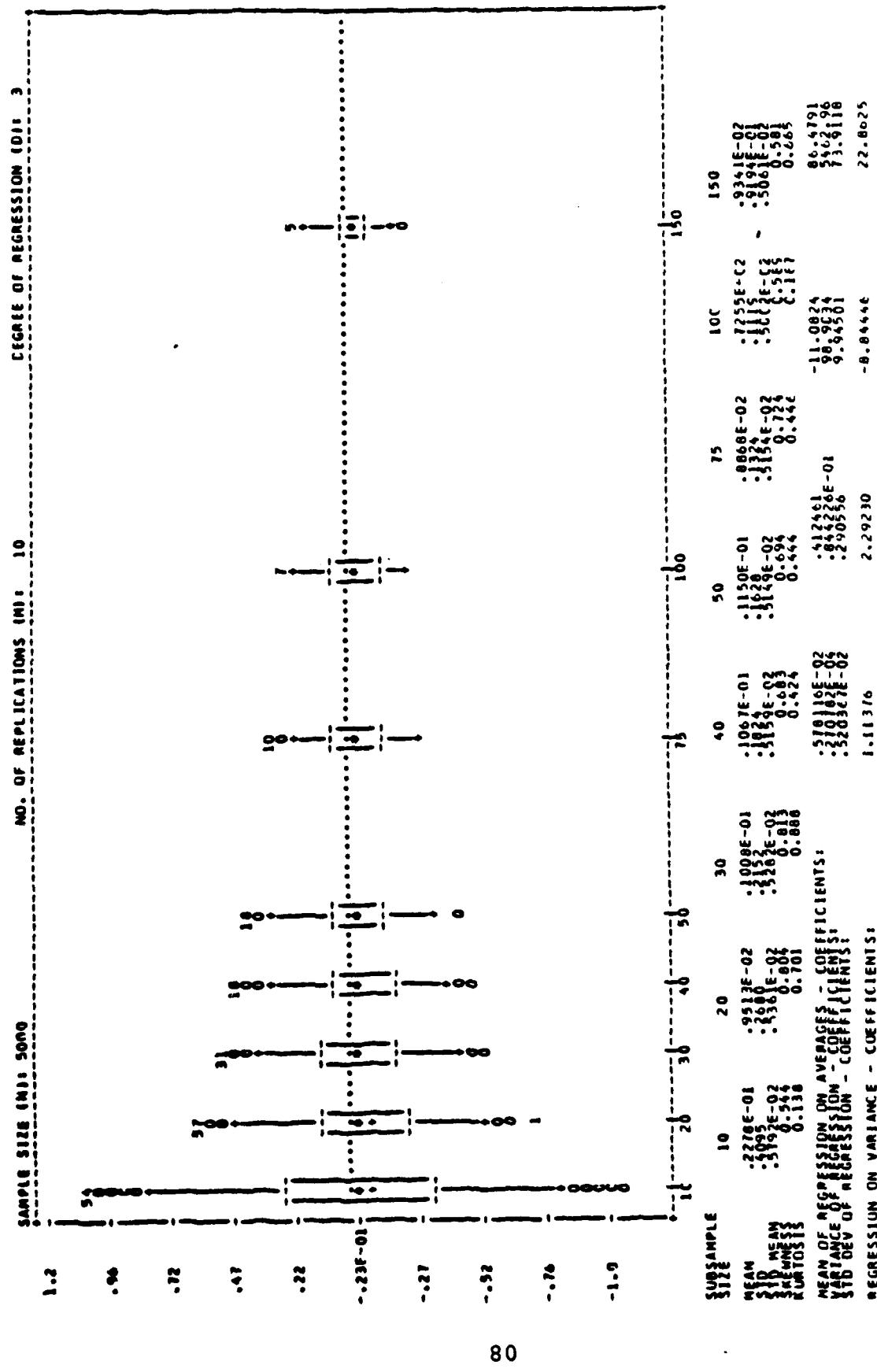


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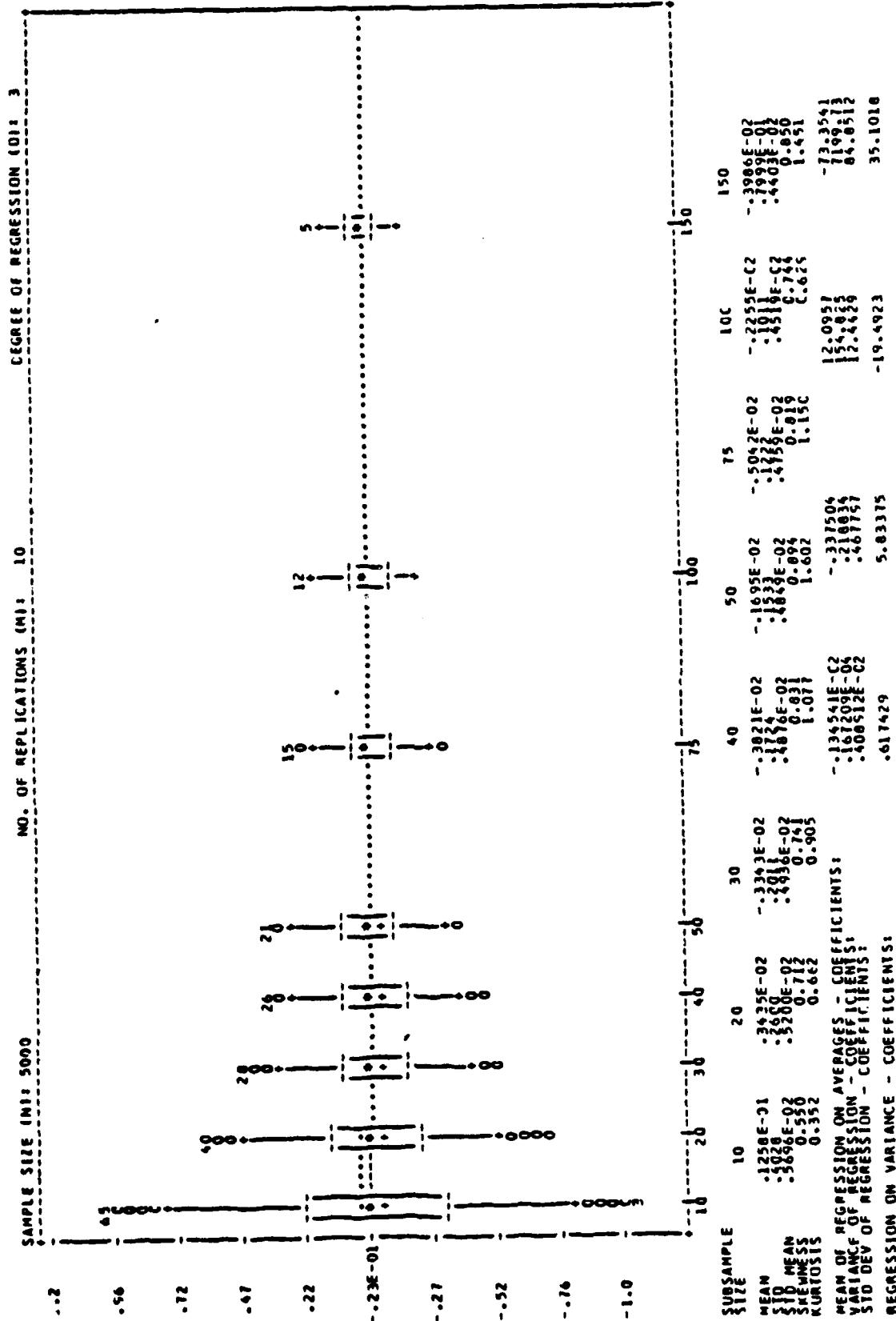
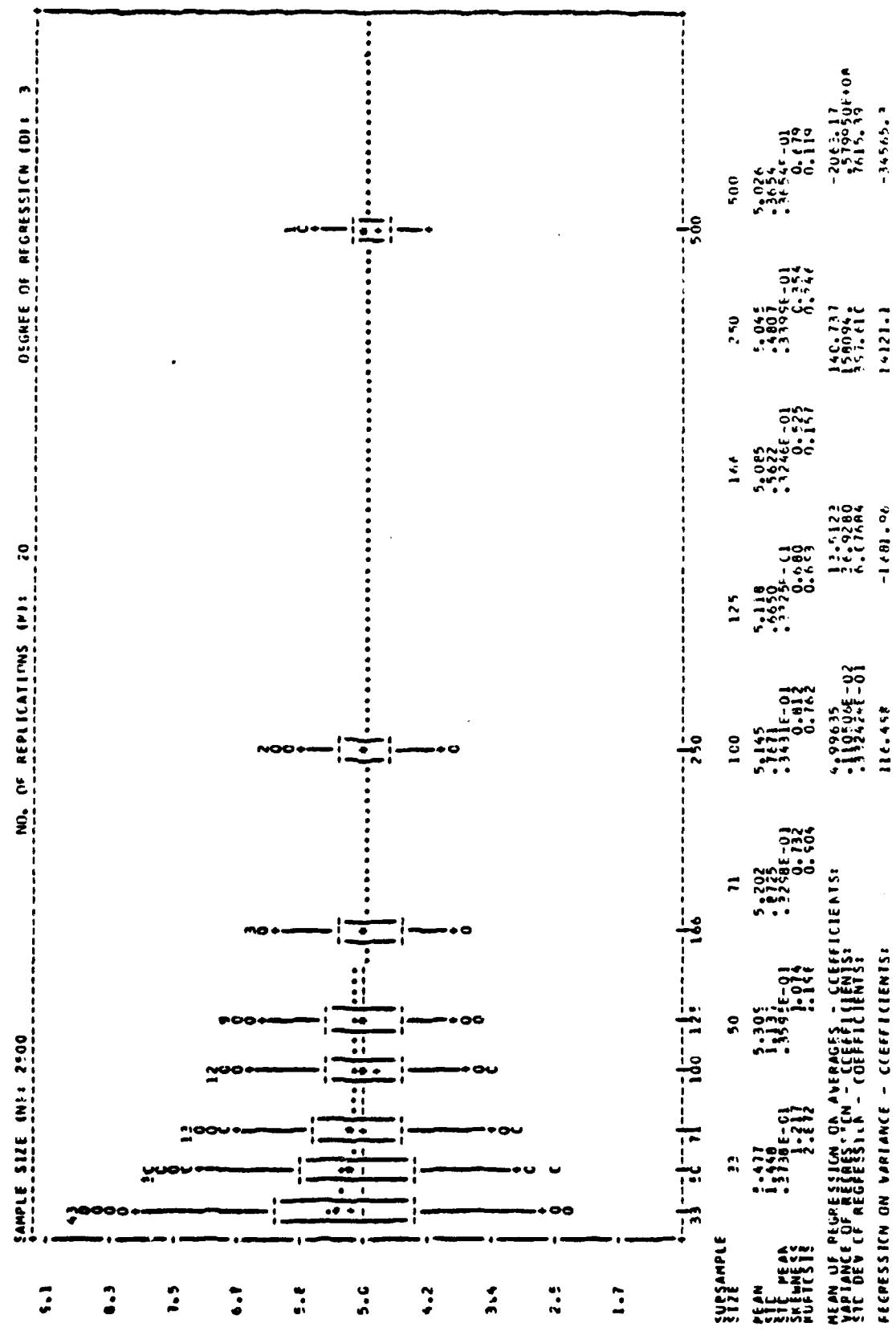
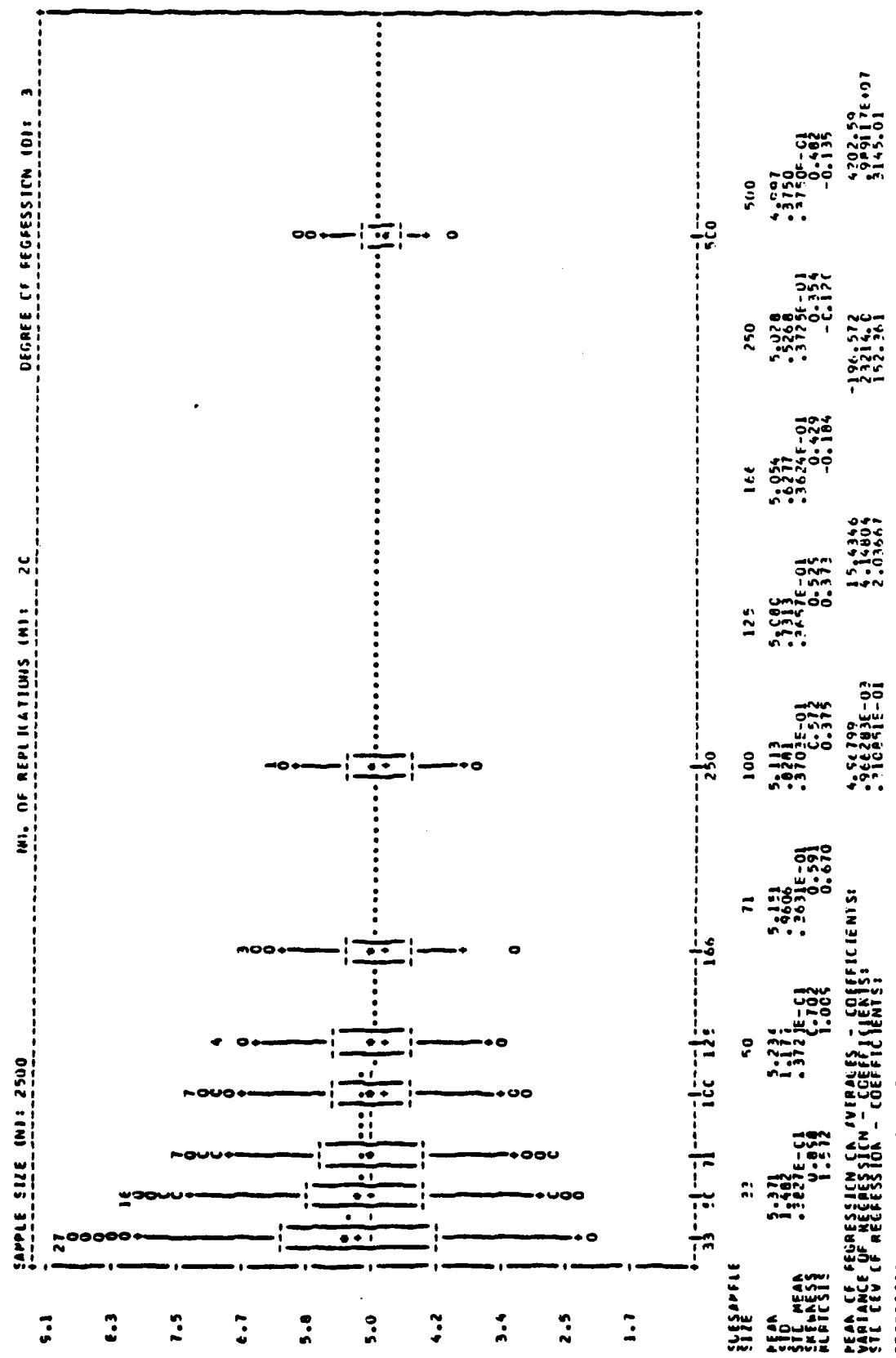


Figure 5C. Estimates of the 2-Fold Jackknifed Serial Correlation Coefficient for a Lognormal (0,1) Sample





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Figure 6b. Moment Estimator (Reciprocal of Squared Coefficient of Variation) of the Shape Parameter of the Gamma Distribution ($k = 5.0$)

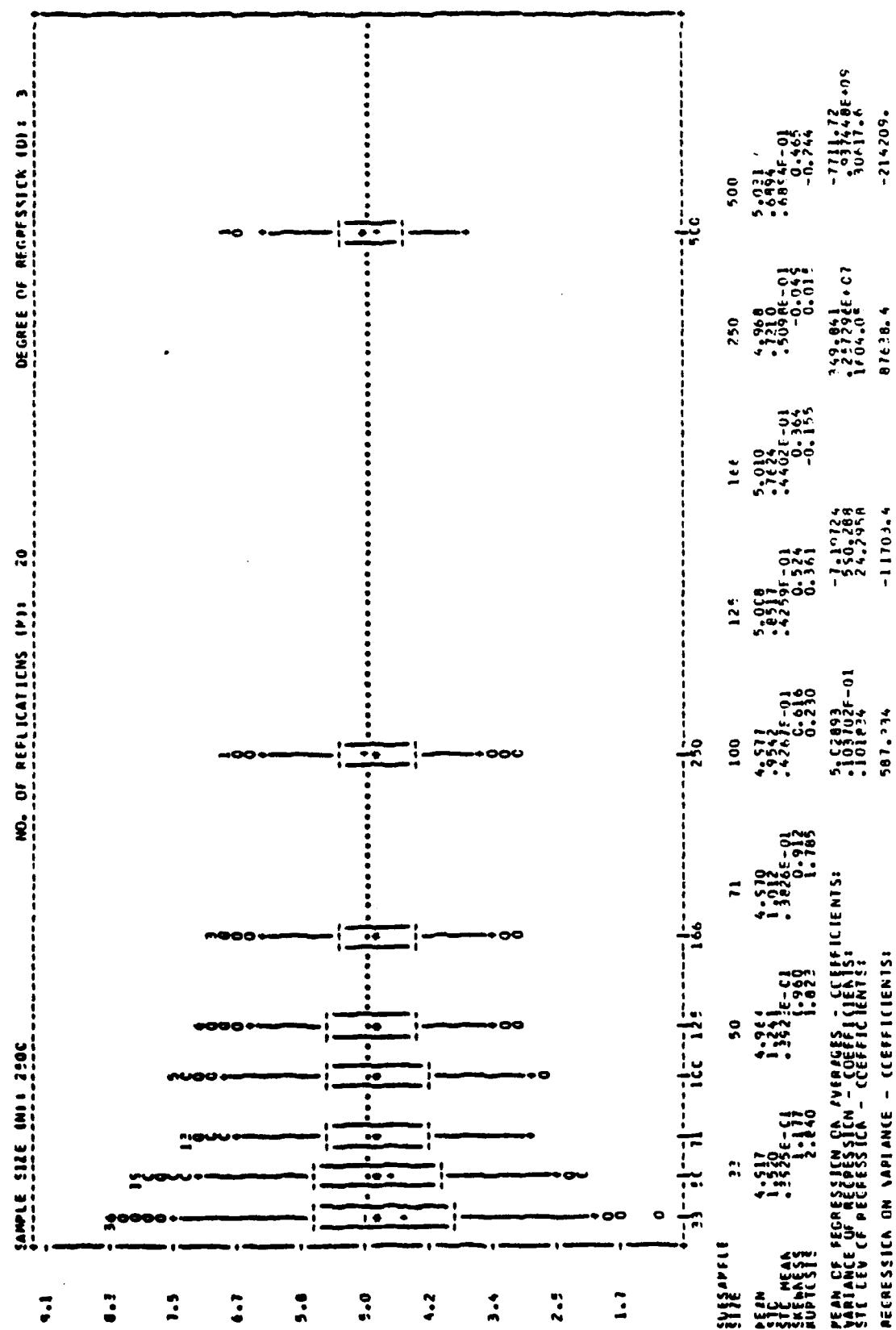


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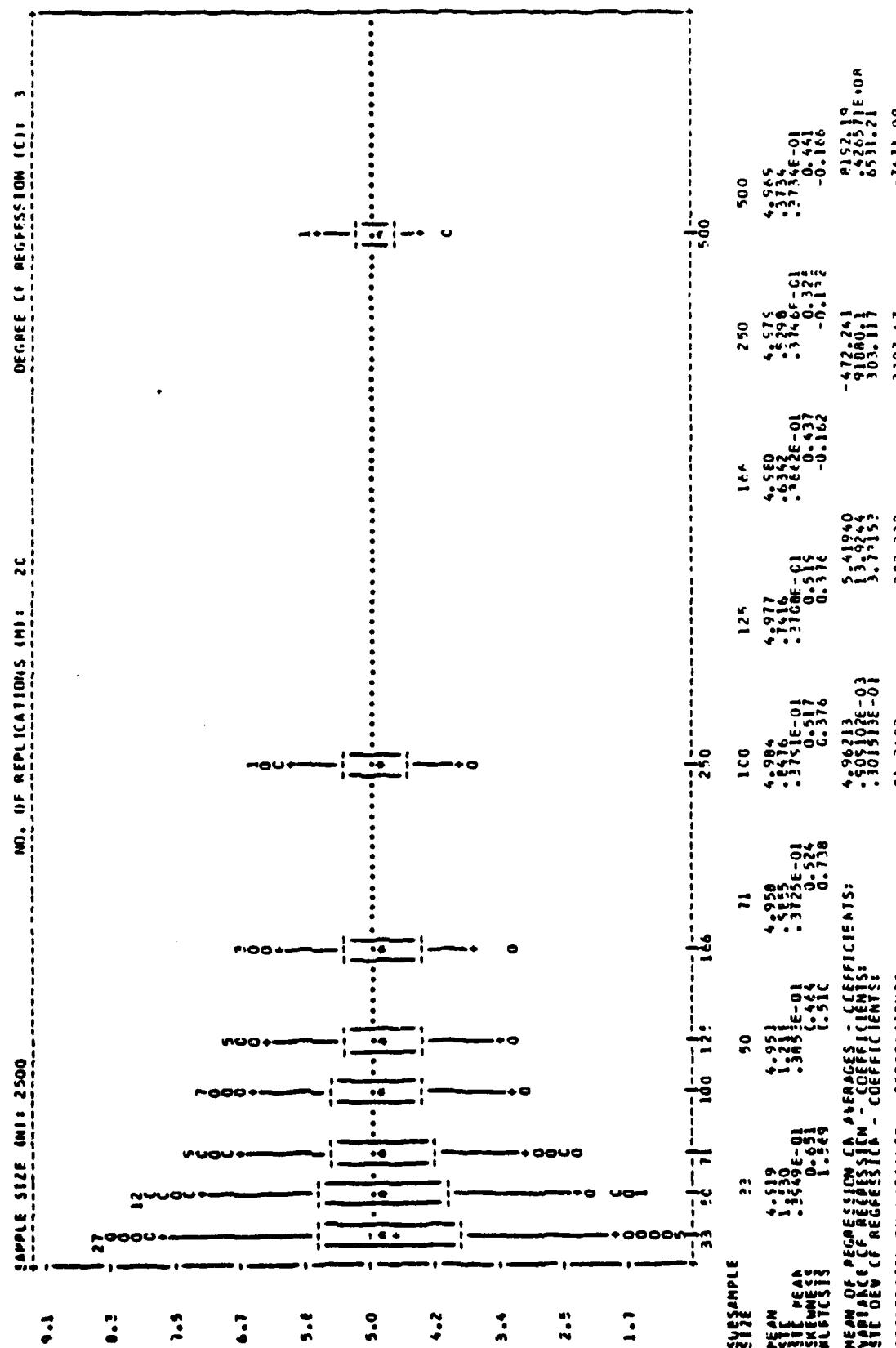


Figure 6d. 4-Fold Jackknifed Moment Estimator of the Shape Parameter of the Gamma Distribution ($\kappa = 5.0$)

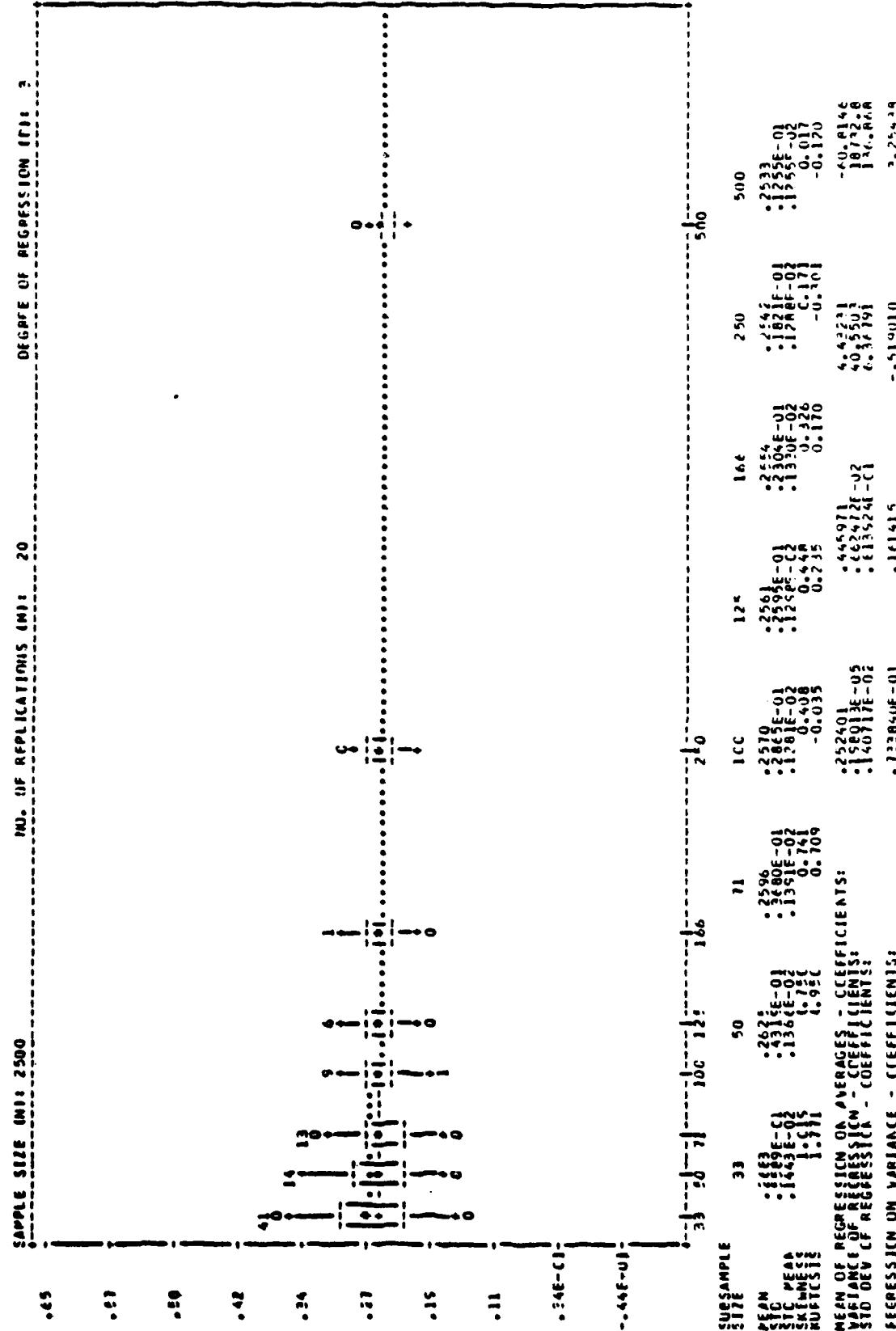


Figure 7a. Maximum Likelihood Estimate of the Shape Parameter of the Gamma Distribution ($k = 0.25$)

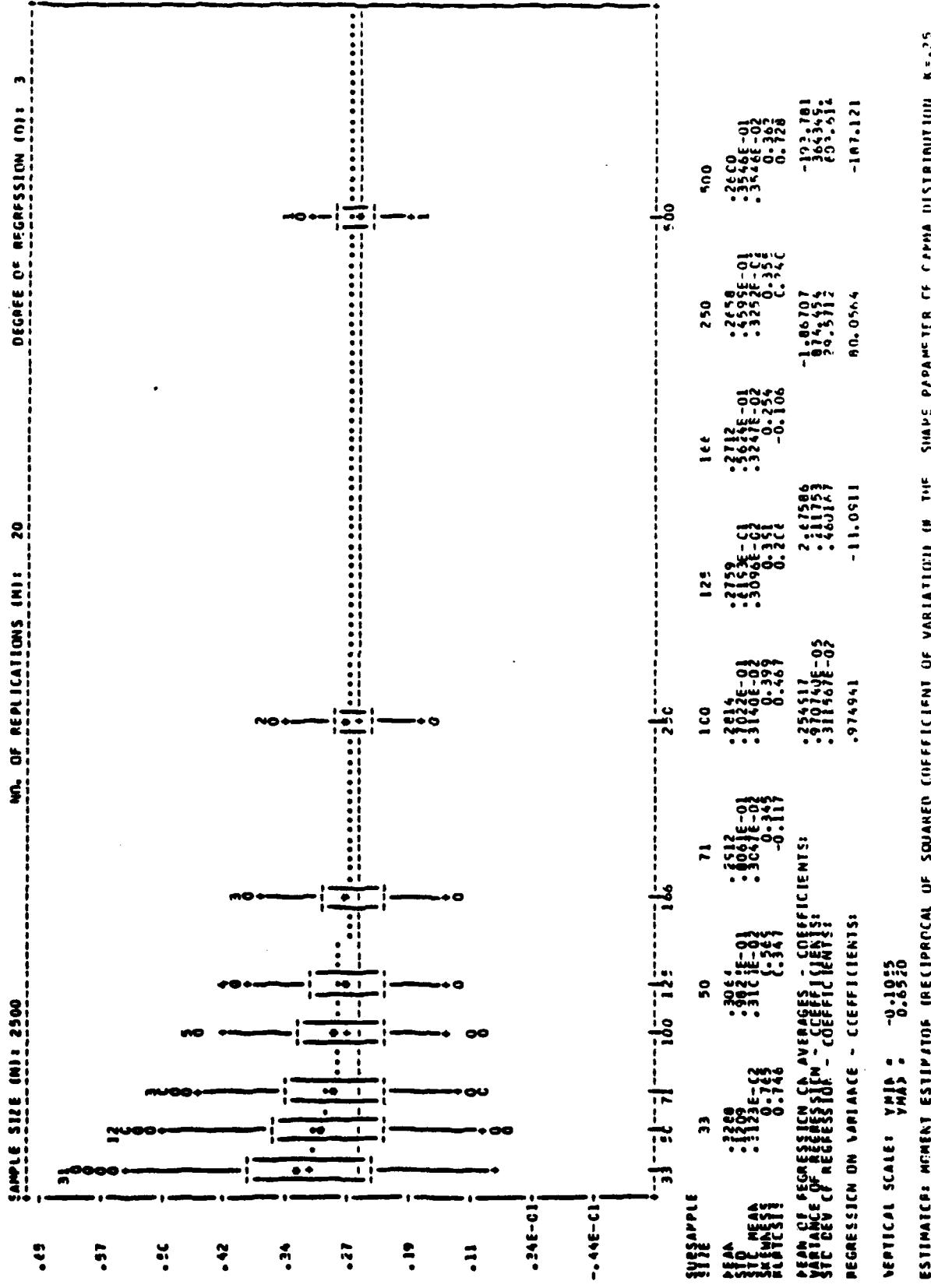


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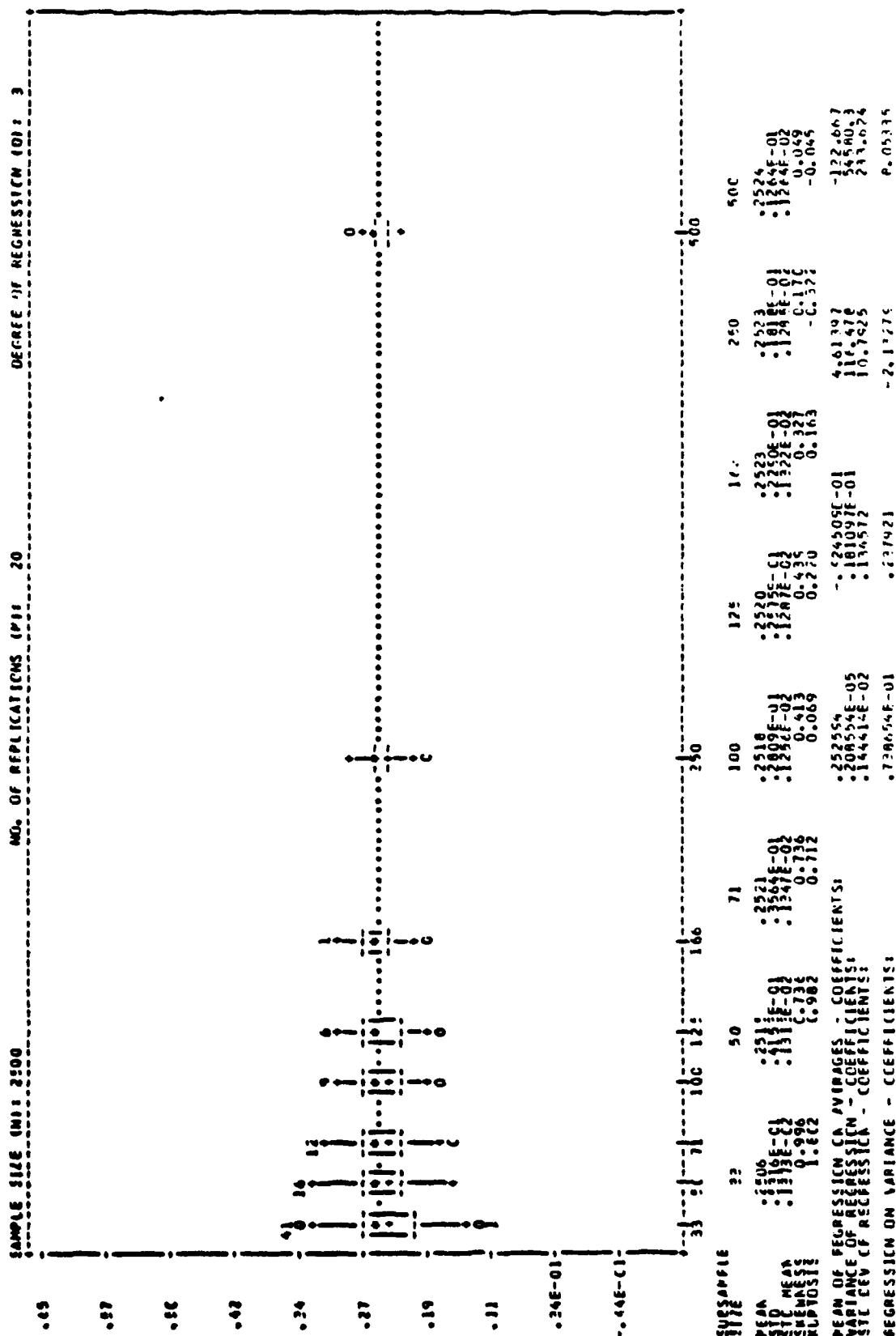


Figure 7c. 4-FOLD JACKKNIFED MAXIMUM LIKELIHOOD ESTIMATE OF THE SHAPE PARAMETER OF THE GAMMA DISTRIBUTION $\hat{\kappa} = 0.25$

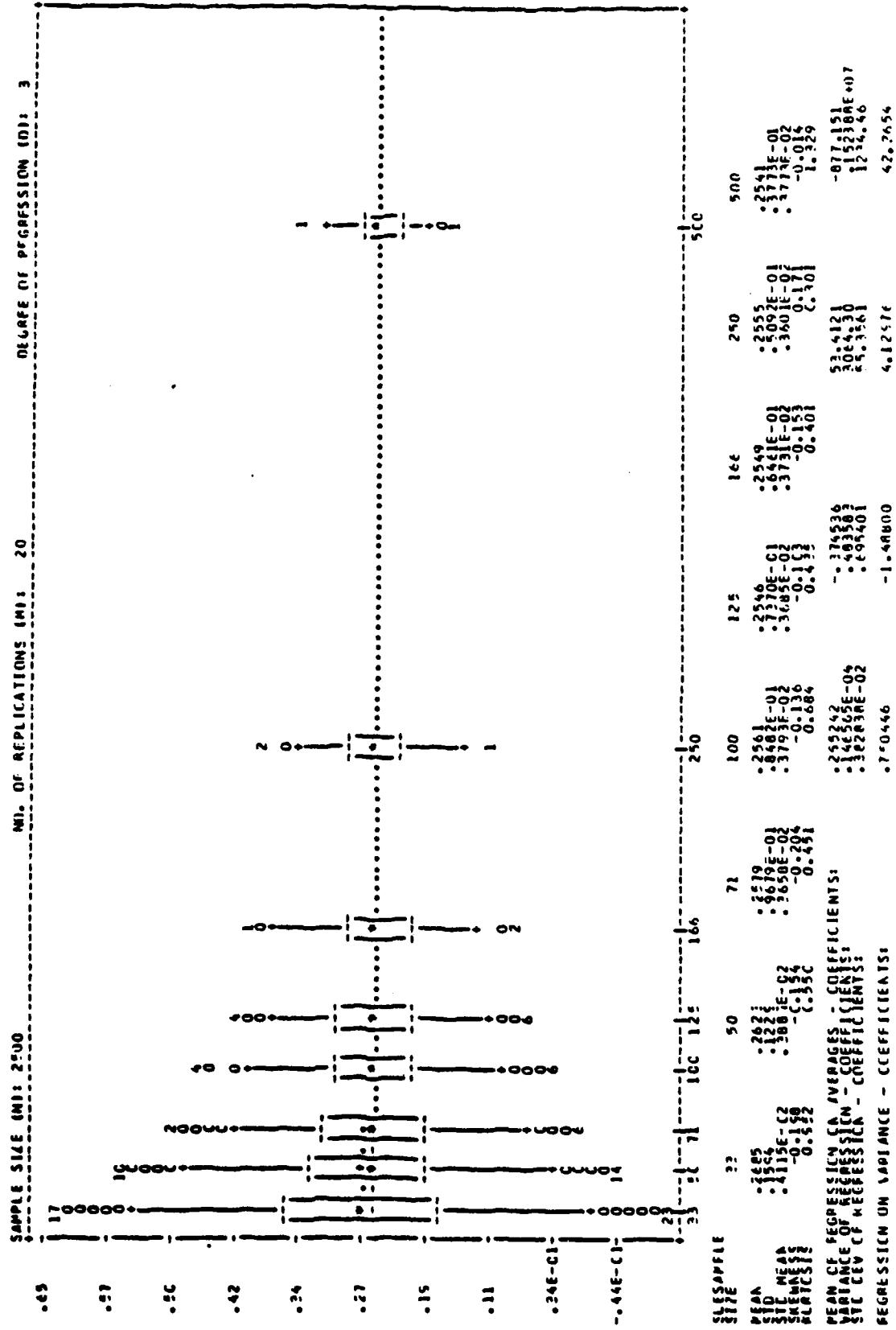


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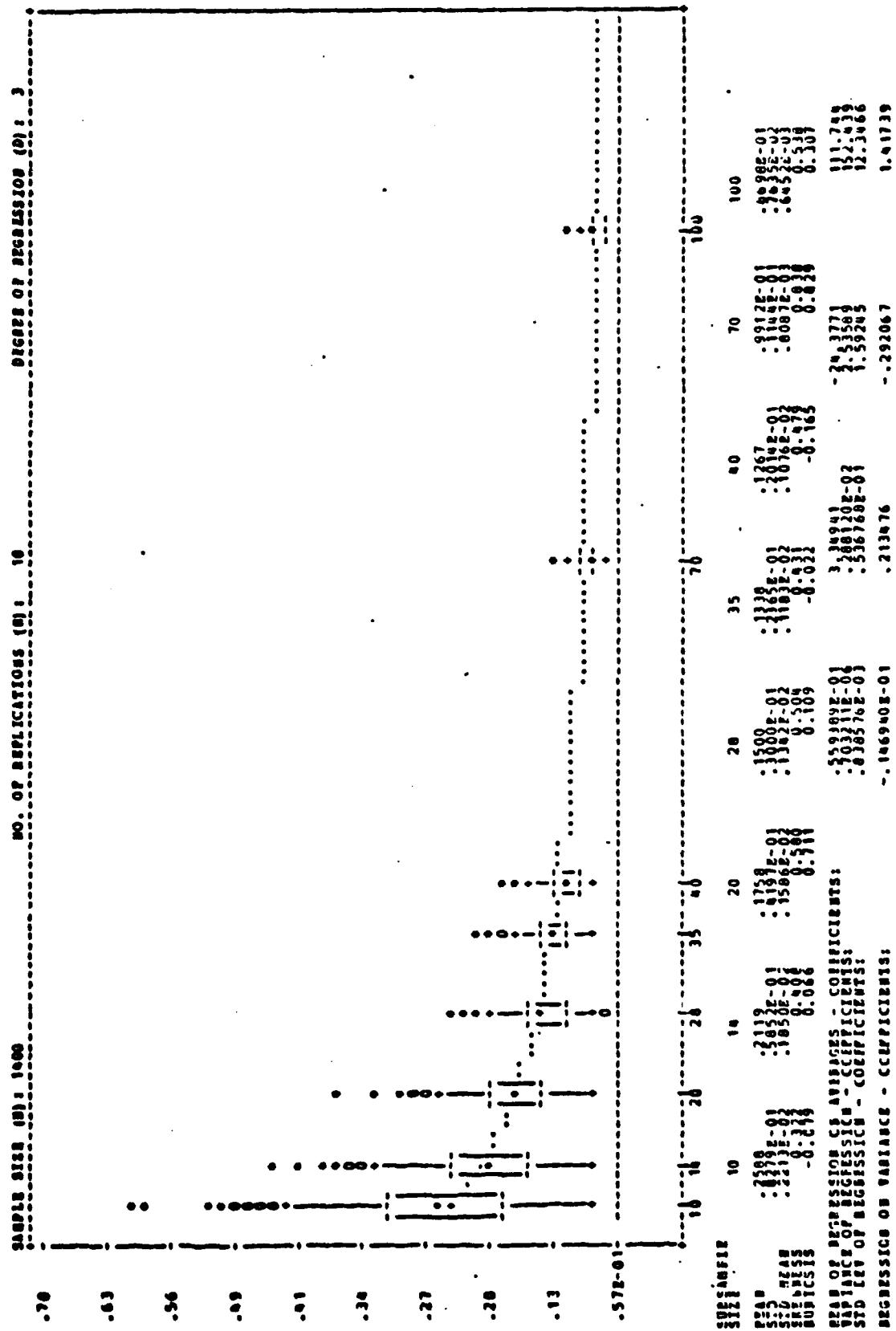
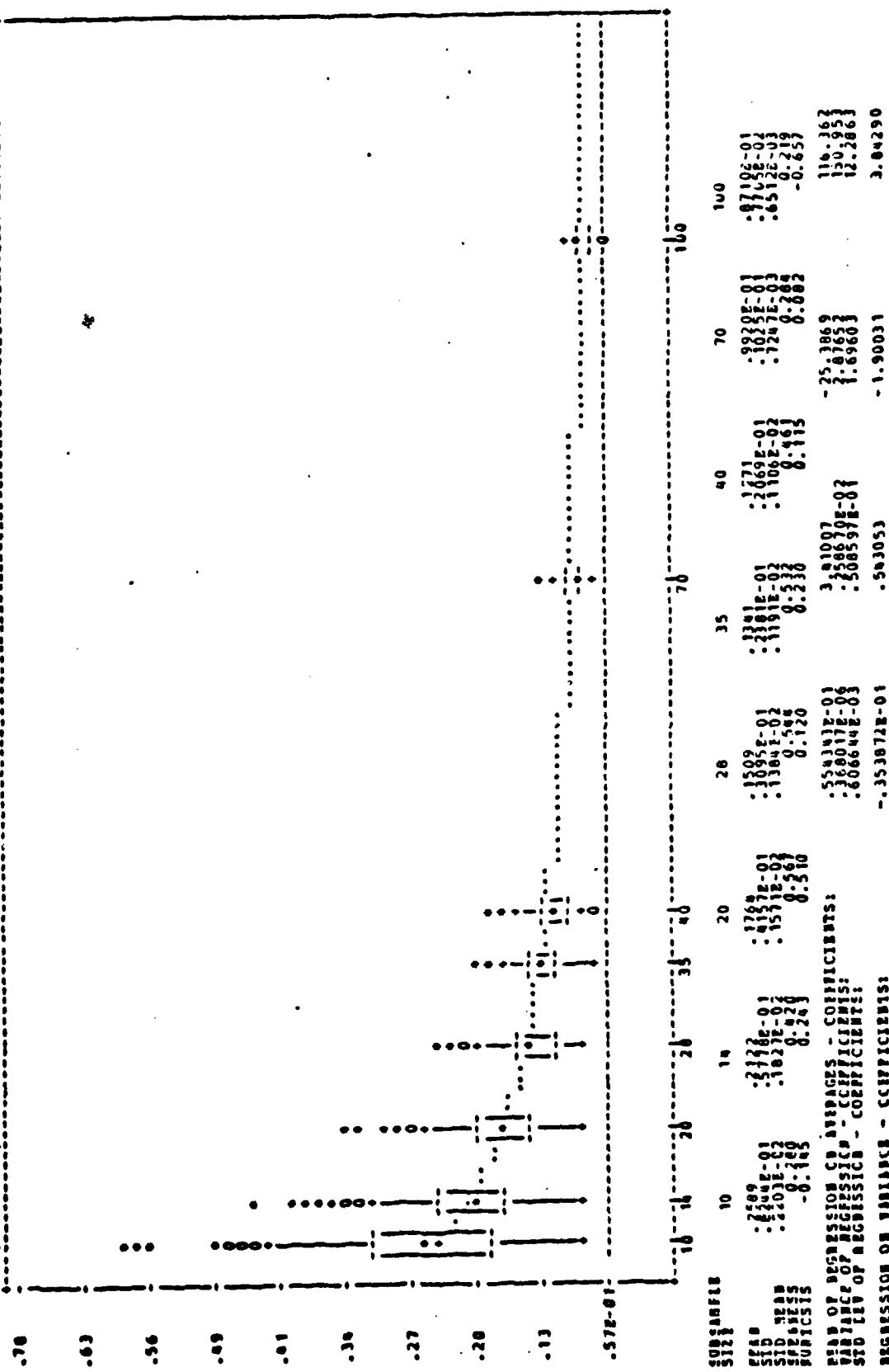


Figure 8. Estimates of the Standard Deviation of the Correlation Coefficient for a Bivariate Normal $(0,1,0.5)$ Bootstrap

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STATISTICAL SCALE: MEAN = 0.0000

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Figure 9. Estimates of the Standard Deviation of the Correlation Coefficient for a Bivariate Normal (0,1,0.5) Bootstrap B = 512

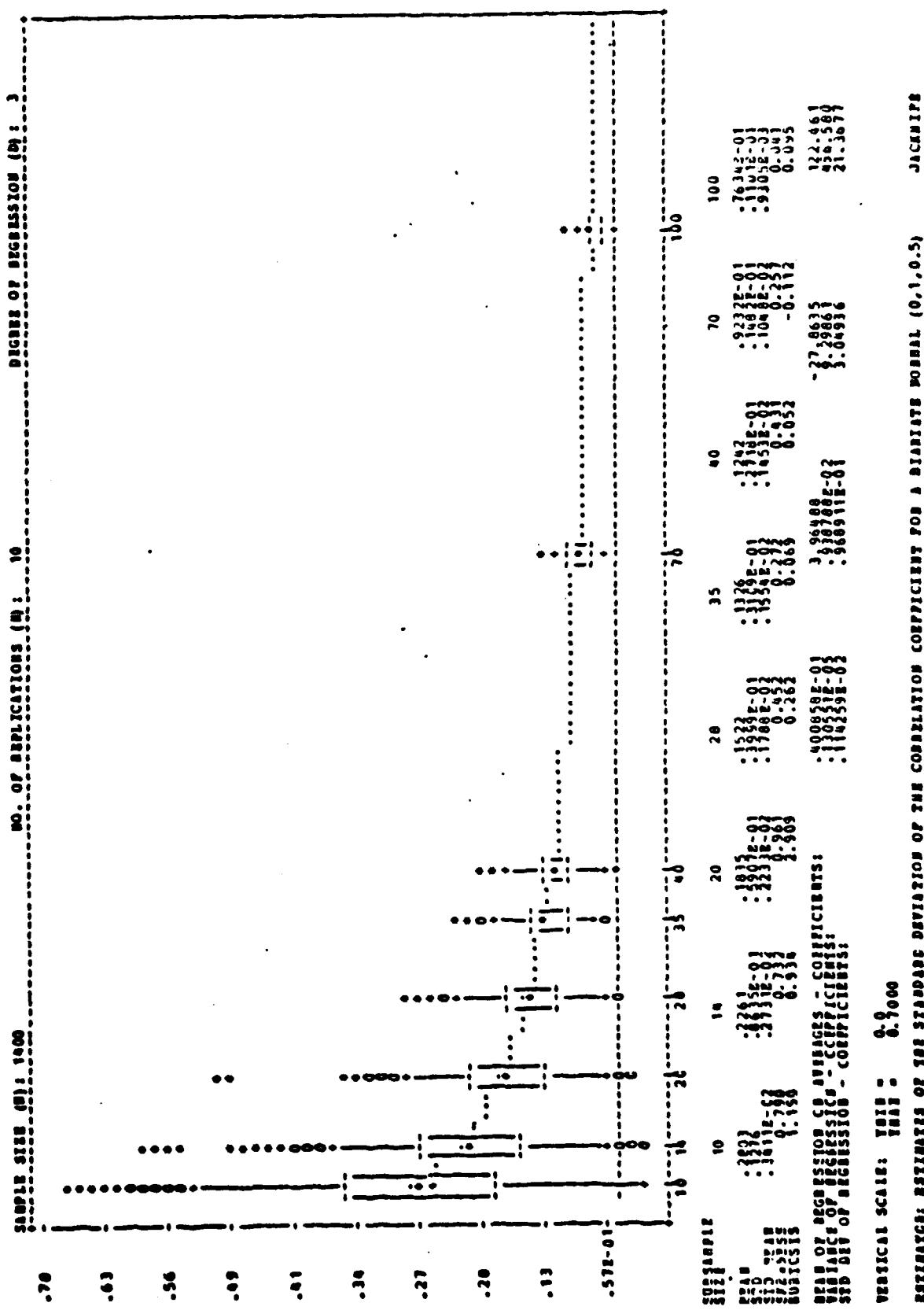


Figure 10. Estimates of the Standard Deviation of the Correlation Coefficient for a Bivariate Normal (0,1,0.5) Jackknife

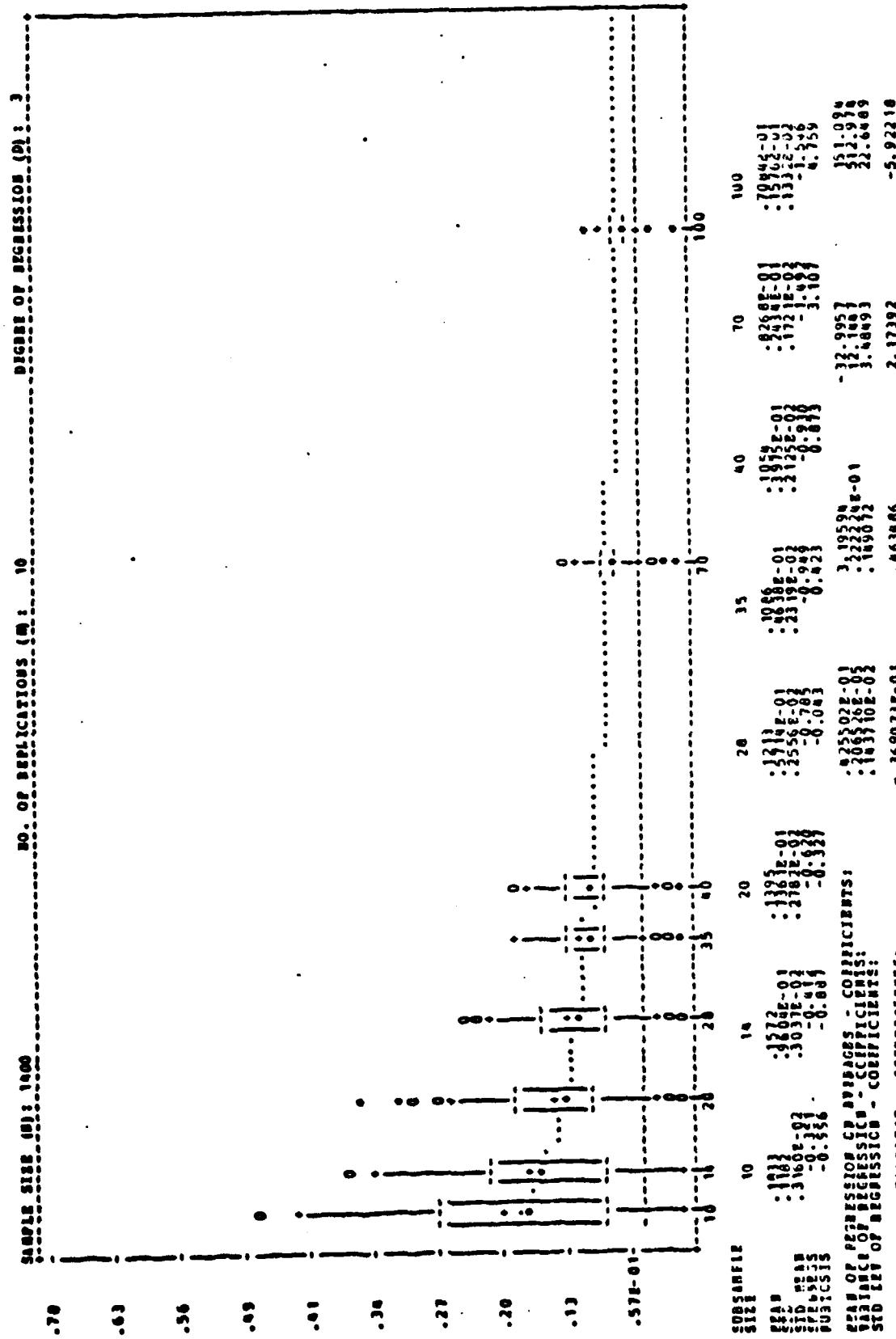


Figure 11. Estimates of the Standard Deviation of the Correlation Coefficient for a Bivariate Normal (0,1,0.5) Delta Method (S.D. = 0 if Var < 0)

DISCRETE OF SUCCESSION (D) : 3

NO. OF APPLICATIONS (N) : 10

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Estimates of the Standard Deviation of the Correlation Coefficient for a Bivariate Normal $(0, 1, 0, 5)$ Normal Theory

APPENDIX A

STIMTRAI (VERBASION 1) PROGRAM LISTING

STATE 1 PROGRAM INITIATIVE

FOR FCSE TO GENERATE REGRESSION ADJUSTED ESTIMATES AND BCX PICTS OF ESTIMATES OF AN INPUT DATA SERIES X CONTAINING N (REFLICATIONS) OF N VALUES EACH. UP TO 3 ESTIMATING FUNCTIONS CAN BE USED. THE GRAPHS CAN ALL BE OF THE SAME SCALE OR SCALED INDIVIDUALLY.

DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS

I	REAL*4 ARRAY CONTAINING DATA. A MAXIMUM OF 50,000 DATA ELEMENTS CAN BE STORED IN X.
N	NUMBER OF DATA ELEMENTS PER SECTION (N IS SAMPLE SIZE). N CANNOT EXCEED 50,000 AND N+N MUST NOT EXCEED 50,000.
M	NUMBER OF SECTIONS (REPLICATIONS). M CANNOT EXCEED 100 AND M+N MUST NOT EXCEED 50,000.
NE	INTEGER ARRAY OF SIZE 8 CONTAINING SUBSAMPLE SIZES FOR N. THE VALUES OF NE MUST BE FROM SMALLEST TO LARGEST. NO ELEMENT OF THE ARRAY NE CAN BE GREATER THAN N. M*(N/NE(1)) MUST NOT EXCEED 12,500.
I	NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLE SIZES FROM NE(8) THAT WILL BE USED TO SECTION N. IT IS ALSO THE NUMBER OF BOXPLOTS THAT WILL BE PRODUCED.
D	DEGREE OF REGRESSION FOR MEAN AND VARIANCE REGRESSIONS. D WILL BE REDUCED BY 1 FOR EACH IF THE SAMPLE IS NOT LARGE ENOUGH. D MUST BE 1,2 OR 3. D=0 WILL IGNORE REGRESSIONS.
	*** SCALING *** SCALING IS ACCOMPLISHED BY TAKING THE SMALLEST AND THE LARGEST ESTIMATE VALUES FROM ALL ESTIMATING FUNCTIONS AND FROM FOR ALL SUBSAMPLE SIZES. THE SCALE PARAMETER INDIVIDUALLY OR TO THE SAME SCALE THEM ALL TO THE SAME SCALE. SCALING ALL TO THE SAME SCALE IS ESTIMAT- ING EACH ESTIMATOR INDIVIDUALLY OR TO THE SAME SCALE IS ESTIMAT- ING ALL THE ESTIMATORS USING NE(1) SUBSAMPLE SIZE. THE VER- TICAL SCALING IS ACCOMPLISHED BY SCALING THE UPPER QUAR- TILE SCALING THE LOWER QUARTILE SCALING THE MEDIAN SCALING THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE MAXIMUM VALUE AND THE MINIMUM VALUE.

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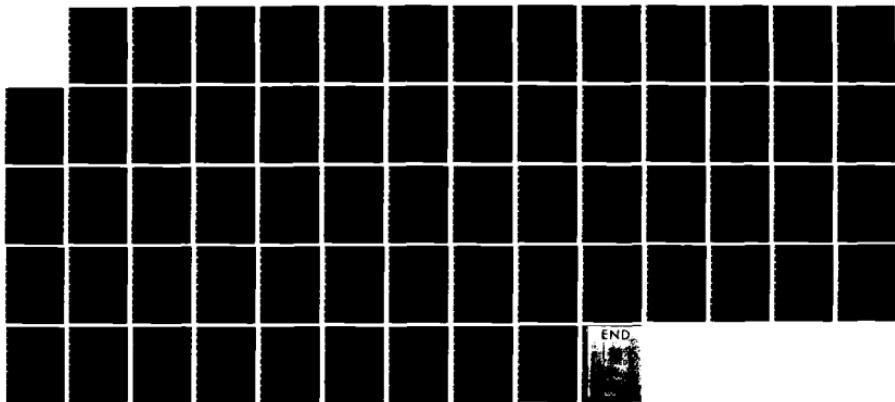
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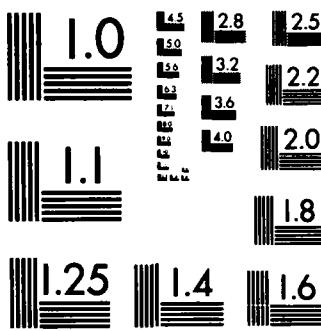
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QUARTILE - 1.5 TIMES THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE GIVE VALUE. THE ESTIMATES FROM THE NE(1) SUBSAMPLE FROM IF THERE ARE NO ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THE MIN AND MAX VALUES THEN THE SCALE IS TO THE FIRST VALUE WITHIN THEY ARE COUNTED AND THE NUMBER PRINTED AT THE OUTSIDE THESE THEY ECK PLOTS. THE SVS PARAMETR ALLOWS THE USER TO SET THE VERTICAL SCALE. WHEN THE VERTICAL SCALE IS SET THE SEI PARAMETER IS IGNORED AND THE VERTICAL SCALE BECOMES YMIN AND YMAX.

RG RG=0 DO NOT REDUCE THE VERTICAL SCALE OF THE GRAPHS.
 RG=1 REDUCE GRAPHICS VERTICAL SCALE TO UPPER (LOWER) QUARTILE + (-) INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE.

SEI SEI=0 DO NOT SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.
 SEI=1 SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.

SVS SVS=0 PROGRAM WILL CALCULATE VERTICAL SCALE INDIVIDUALLY.
 SVS=1 USER SETS VERTICAL SCALE TO YMIN AND YMAX.

YMIN LOW VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1

YMAX HIGH VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1

NEST NUMBER OF ESTIMATORS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE NEST MUST BE 1, 2 OR 3.

EST1 NAMES OF THE ESTIMATOR FUNCTIONS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE THE STATISTICAL PARAMETER.

EST2 CALL SEQUENCE ON EACH FUNCTION IS: CALL FNAME{X, N) WHERE X IS THE DATA ARRAY AND N IS THE NUMBER OF DATA POINTS.

EST3 THEY MUST BE DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM (RAGEN) IN THE ORDER THEY ARE USED. DUMMY VARIABLES MUST BE INSERTED WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN 3 ESTIMATORS.

TIT1 TITLES ASSOCIATED WITH EACH ESTIMATOR (EST1(243) IS A MAX OF 120 CHARACTERS CAN BE USED TO DESCRIBE EACH ESTIMATOR.

TIT2 EACH TITLE MUST BE DECLARED AS REAL*8(15) ARRAYS UNLESS

TIT3 PASSED AS AN ARGUMENT OF THE CALLING PROGRAM RAGE. WHEN PASSING THE TITLE AS AN ARGUMENT THERE MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 120 CHARACTERS BETWEEN APOSTROPHES.

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SUBROUTINE SINTB1(X,Y,NE,L,D,RG,SEI,SVS,YMIN,YMAX,NEST,EST 1,
+ TNL1,EST2,TNL2,EST3,TNL3)
REAL*8 TNL1(50000),TNL2(15000),TNL3(12500)
INTEGER I,NE(18),RG,SEI(18),SVS,SH
INTEGER D,I,NEST,TEST
C
      SH=NE(1)
      BN=4*SH
      I1=L-1
      IF (LT.EQ.0) GO TO 13
      DO 11 I=1,I1
      I=I+
      IF (NE(I).GT.NE(I1)) WRITE(6,110)
11   CCNTINE
      TEST=0
      IF (NE(1).EQ.1.0 .OR. NEST.EQ.2.0.R. NEST.EQ.3) GO TO 1
      WRITE(6,106)
1   TEST=1
      IF (BN.LE.50000) GO TO 2
      WRITE(6,105)
2   TEST=1
      IF (N.GE.1.AND. N.LE.100) GO TO 3
      WRITE(6,104)
3   TEST=1
      IF (L.GE.1.AND. L.LE.8) GO TO 4
      WRITE(6,103)
4   TEST=1
      IF (D.LP.3) GO TO 5
      WRITE(6,108)
5   TEST=1
      K=N/NE(L)
      IF (K.GE.1) GO TO 6
      WRITE(6,107)
6   K=N*(N/NE(1))
      IF (K.LE.12500) GO TO 7
      WRITE(6,109)
7   IF (TEST.NE.0) GO TO 80
      TNL4=YMAX
      DETERMINE HCN EACH GRAPH IS TO BE SCALED.
      IF (SVS.EC.1) GC TC 50
      IF (SETI.EC.1) GO TO 75
C      ****DETERMINE HCN EACH GRAPH IS TO BE SCALED.
C      ****GRAPH ALL ESTIMATORS TO THE SAME SCALE OF ESTIMATOR N/WIDEST PTS.
C      ****GRAPH ALL ESTIMATORS TO THE SAME SCALE OF ESTIMATOR N/WIDEST PTS.
C
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U1H(2) = 1.E30
U1H(4) = -1.E30
DC = 0
IK = 1
C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 1ST ESTIMATOR.
CALL SE2ST(X1N, H, EST1(IK), Y1K, YMIN)
IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(YMIN.LT.0) CALL MAXMIN(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(YMAX.GT.0) U1H(2) = YMIN
IF(YMAX.GT.0) U1H(4) = YMAX

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 2ND ESTIMATOR. KEEP WIDEST PAIR
IF(NEST2(IK).GT.0) GO TO 10
CALL SE2ST(X1N, H, NE(IK), EST2(Y1K, KP))
IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(RG.NE.1) CALL MAXMIN(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(YMIN.LT.0) U1H(2) = YMIN
IF(YMAX.GT.0) U1H(4) = YMAX

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 3RD ESTIMATOR. KEEP WIDEST PAIR****
IF(NEST3(IK).GT.0) GO TO 10
CALL SE3ST(X1N, H, NE(IK), EST3(Y1K, KP))
IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(RG.NE.1) CALL MAXMIN(Y1K, KP, YMAX, YMIN)
IF(YMIN.LT.0) U1H(2) = YMIN
IF(YMAX.GT.0) U1H(4) = YMAX
10 RETURN CALCULATED SCALE TO CALLER
YMIN=U1H(2)
YMAX=U1H(4)

C PROCESS BOXPLOTS USING FIXED VERTICAL SCALE IN VECTOR U1H
CNE CALL PBS EACH ESTIMATOR USED.
50 WRITE(6,101) NE(IK), U1H(2), TTL1
WRITE(6,102) TTL1
IF(NEST4(IK).GT.0) GO TO 80
CALL PBS(X1N, H, EST2(NE(L, RG, D, U1H, Y)
WHITE(6,101) U1H(2), U1H(4)
WRITE(6,102) TTL2
IF(NEST5(IK).GT.0) GO TO 80
CALL PBS(X1N, H, EST3(NE(L, RG, D, U1H, Y)
WHITE(6,101) U1H(2), U1H(4)
WHITE(6,102) TTL3
GC TO 80
***** *GRAPH EACH ESTIMATOR SCALED TO ITS WIDEST POINTS. *
***** *FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 1ST ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.

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75 CALL SICEST1(X,N,NE(1),EST1,Y,XP)
    IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    IF(YH(2).EQ.YH(1)) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    CALL PRST1(YH(1),ULH(4),NE(1),EST1,ULH,Y)
    WRITE(6,101) TTL(4)
    IF(NEST1.LT.11) 111 2) GO TO 80

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 2ND ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.
    CALL SECEST1(X,N,NE(1),EST2,Y,KP)
    IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    IF(YH(2).EQ.YH(1)) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    CALL PRST1(YH(1),ULH(4),NE(1),EST2,ULH,Y)
    WRITE(6,101) TTL(2)
    IF(NEST1.LT.3) GO TO 80

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 3RD ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.
    CALL SECEST1(X,N,NE(1),EST3,Y,KP)
    IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    IF(YH(2).EQ.YH(1)) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
    CALL PRST1(YH(4),ULH(4),NE(1),EST3,ULH,Y)
    WRITE(6,101) TTL(2)
    WRITE(6,102) TTL(3)
    WRITE(6,102) TTL(4)
    78 CALL CCNTINUE
    80 CCNTINUE

C 102 PCFORMAT(1X,'ESTIMATOR: ',15A8)
    101 PCFORMAT(1X,'VERTICAL SCALE: ',10A4,'/10.4./10X,YMAX = ',P10.4,'/10X,YMIN = ',P10.4,'/1
    102 PCFORMAT(1X,'L MUST BE AN INTEGER BETWEEN 1 AND 100. ***')
    103 PCFORMAT(1X,'L MUST BE AN INTEGER BETWEEN 1 AND 100. ***')
    104 PCFORMAT(1X,'ERROR...H MUST BE AN INTEGER BETWEEN 1 AND 100. ***')
    105 PCFORMAT(1X,'ERROR...H MUST EXCEED 50,000. ***')
    106 PCFORMAT(1X,'ERROR...NEST MUST BE 3 OR LESS. ***')
    107 PCFORMAT(1X,'ERROR...N/NE(LL) MUST BE 1 OR GREATER TO COMPUTE. ')
    108 PCFORMAT(1X,'STATISTICS. ERROR...D MUST BE LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 3. ***')
    109 PCFORMAT(1X,'FORMAT. *** ERROR...N*(N/NE(1)) MUST NOT EXCEED 12500. ***')
    110 PCFORMAT(1X,'FORMAT. *** WARNING...NE ARRAY ELEMENTS ARE NOT IN ORDER OF ')
    111 PCFORMAT(1X,'INCREASING SIZE. IF NE(1) IS NOT SMALLEST ELEMENT SCALING. ')
    112 PCFORMAT(1X,'MAY CAUSE POINTS TO FALL OUTSIDE RANGE CP SCALE. ')
    END

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C **** SUBROUTINE FIRST(X,N,ESTINE,I,RG,UD,ULH,Y)
C **** REGRESSIONS ADJUSTED ESTIMATES
C **** CALCULATES ESTIMATES FROM USER DATA USING "EST" FUNCTION
C **** FICTS BASIC OR RETRENCHED GRAPH ON LINE PRINTER
C
C EST = NAME OF USER WRITTEN ESTIMATING FUNCTION.
C USAGE: ESTINE(X,N)
C WHERE X IS A VECTOR WITH N ENTRIES
C
C N = NO. OF REPLICATIONS (MUST BE <= 100)
C X = NUMBER OF VALUES IN EACH REPLICATION (N*N MUST BE <= 50000)
C I = NUMBER OF SECTIONS WITHIN CONSECUTIVE BATCHES (N*N VALUES EACH)
C N = NUMBER OF SAMPLE SIZES (MUST BE BETWEEN 1 AND 8)
C L = ARRAY WITH THE L SUBSAMPLE SIZES (MUST BE IN ASCENDING ORDER)
C D = DEGREE OF THE REGRESSION (MUST BE <= L-1)
C UD = XMIN, XMAX IN USER UNITS
C ULH= XMIN, XMAX IN USER UNITS
C ONLY UD(2) AND ULH(4) NEED TO BE PASSED. OTHERS CALC. HERE
C
C DIMENSION NE(L)
C
C INTEGER NB(8),FL(12250),DL1WIDTH,UD,D,LT,DT,RG,R,NEK
C INTEGER*2 F10(50000),ULH(4),DLH(4),C5TR,NUM(10),DOT
C REAL*4 X(50000),RH(100),SUM4(12500),V(8)
C REAL*8 SUH(2),SUM3(86),SUM4(12500),LABEL(5)
C REAL*8 RA(4),B(4),V(4),BA(4),BV(4),BS(4),RT(8),ET(8)
C DATA DLH/1.125/
C DATA BLK//DA.SH/-1./CBAR/1./DOT/1./
C DATA LABEL/'MEAN','STD','STD MEAN','STD/1./
C D=MIN0(3,UD(1-1))
C IX1=8
C IX2=4
C N=N*N
C D1=D+1
C
C IWIDTH=IPIN(DLH(3))
C
C BUILD REGRESSION MATRICES FOR AVERAGES AND VARIANCES
C
C DO 84 K=1 I
C   LO 86 J=1 L1
C     T=PLCAT(NE(L))/PLCAT(NE(K))
C     RA(K,J)=T*(J-1)
C     RV(K,J)=T*(PLBAT(J))/2.0
C
C 86 CONTINUE
C
C 84 CLEAR PLOT ARRAY
C   DC 3 J=1 50
C   DO 4 I=1 122

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4      PLOT (I, J) = BLK
C      COUNT IN USE
3      SET HORIZONTAL XMIN, XMAX
      ULH (1) = 1.0E1
      ULH (3) = 1.2E1
      ULH (5) = 1.5E1
C      SET SCALE
      CALL SCALE (ULH, DLH)
C      COMPUTE LOCATION OF PLOTS ALONG X-AXIS
      LAST = -1
      DC 5 K = 1, L
      NB (K) = N / NE (K)
      LOC (X (K)) = (NE (K) - ULH (1)) * (DLH (3) - DLH (1)) / (ULH (3) - ULH (1)) + DLH (1) + .5
      IF (LOC (X (K)) .LT. LAST + 4) LOC (X (K)) = LAST + 4
      LAST = LOC (X (K))
5      COUNT IN USE
C      DC 80 K = 1, 1
      NEK = NB (K)
      ENEK = NE (K)
C      SECTION & COMPUTE ESTIMATORS FOR SIZE K
      CALL SECEST (X (NE), ENEK, ESTY (KP))
C      AVERAGE ESTIMATES OF SIZE NE (K) FOR EACH OF N REPLICATIONS
      KP = 0
      EC 10 I = 1, N
      RH (KI) = 6.0
      DO 15 J = 1, NBK
      KP = KP + 1
      RH (KI) = RH (K, I) + Y (KP)
      CON (I) = RH (KI) / FLOAT (NBK)
15      RH (KI) = RH (K, I) / FLOAT (NBK)
      10  COUNT (I) = CON (I) / FLOAT (NBK)
      CALL BCXPRT (Y, KP, LOC (X (K)), PLOT, RG)
      IF (K .GT. 0) GO TO 80
      COMPUTE MEAN AND PCEMENT ESTIMATES
      XMEAN = 0.
      DC 180 IM 1 = 1, KP
      XMEAN = XMEAN + Y (IM 1)
      COUNT IN USE
      XMEAN = XMEAN / FLOAT (KP)
      SUM2 = 0.0E0
      SUM3 = 0.0E0
      SUM4 = 0.0E0
      DC 190 IP 1 = 1, KP
      DEV = Y (IP 1) - XMEAN
      SUM2 = SUM2 + DEV * DEV
      SUM3 = SUM3 + DEV ** 3
      SUM4 = SUM4 + DEV ** 4
180

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190 CCNTINUE
C   CHECK FOR ENOUGH COMPUTATION.
C   IF (KP.LT.2) GO TO 7
C   VAB = SUM2 / (KP - 1.0)
C   STDV = SQR1 / (VAR)
C   IF (KP.LT.3) GO TO 8
C   7  XSUM3 = XSUM1 / (SUM3 * KE / DV * (KP-1.) * (KP-2.))
C   SKEW = XSUM3 / DV
C   IF (KP.LT.4) GO TO 9
C   8  XSUM4 = XSUM2 / (SUM4 * (KP-2.) * KP+3.) * (KP-1.) * (KE*(KP-2.)*(KP-3.))
C   XSUM4 = XSUM4 - VAR*3. / (VAR * VAR) - 3.
C   CKURT = XSUM4 / (VAR * VAR)
C   9  STAT(K'1) = THEA /
C   STAT(K'2) = STDV
C   STAT(K'3) = STDV/SQRT (FLOAT (KP))
C   STAT(K'4) = SKEW
C   STAT(K'5) = CKURT
C   STAT(K'6) = VAR
C   80 CCNTINUE
C   IF D1.LT.2 THEN NO REGRESSIONS OR PLOTING CAN BE DONE
C   IF (D1.LT.2) GO TO 113
C   DC 92 K=1 L
C   DO 47 J=1 L
C   RT(J) = FF(J,K)
C   47 CCNTINUE
C   CALL REG (EA, RT, BT, L, D1, IX1, IX2)
C   EA(1,K) = BT(1)
C   DO 23 KT=2,L
C   BT(K,K) = RT(KT) * NE(L) ** (KT-1)
C   23 CCNTINUE
C   92 CCNTINUE
C   AVERAGE REGRESSION CCEPF. OVER N REPLICATONS & CALC. VARIANCE
C   DO 94 I=1,D1
C   EA(I)=0.
C   EV(I)=0.
C   EC 95 J=1,N
C   BA(I)=BA(I)+B(I,J) ** 2
C   EV(I)=BV(I)+B(I,J)
C   CCNTINUE
C   EA(I)=BA(I)/FLOAT(N)
C   IF (N.EQ.1) GO TO 94
C   BV(I)=(BV(I)-N*BA(I)**2) / (N*(N-1.))

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C 94 CCNTINUE = BV(I)**.5
C
C ESTABLISH REGRESSION LINE & ASYMPTOTE
C
C DC 98 I=3 WIDTH
C MAP I PROB DEVICE SPACE TO USER SPACE
C UY=(I-DLH(1))*ULH(3)-ULH(1) AND THE REGRESSION & COEFFICIENTS.
C COMP(I-ULH(1)) VALUE FROM THE REGRESSION & COEFFICIENTS.
C UY=BA(1)
C DC 99 J=1
C UY=UY+BA(J+1)/UX**J
C
C 99 CONTINUE
C
C MAP THE Y VALUE FROM USER SPACE TO DEVICE SPACE
C J=(UY-ULH(2))*(DLH(4)-DLH(2))/ULH(4)-ULH(2) + .5
C IF(J>LT OR J<GT) GO TO 98
C IF(PLOT(I,J) .EQ. BIK) PLOT(I,J)=DOT
C
C 98 CCNTINUE
C
C SCALE ASYMPTOTE, EETA0, AND PLOT ACROSS PLCT.
C J=(BA(1)-ULH(2))*(DLH(4)-DLH(2))/ULH(4)-ULH(2) + DLH(2) + .5
C IF(J>LT OR J<GT) GO TO 98
C DC 120 I=3 WIDTH
C IF(PLOT(I,J) .EQ. BIK) PLOT(I,J)=DASH
C
C 120 CCNTINUE
C
C REGRESSION CN VARIANCES FROM EACH SEGMENT WITH A VARIANCE.
C
C 117 K=H*(N/NE(I))
C LT=L
C D1=D1
C DC 118 I=1,L
C IF(K>E(LT)) GO TO 112
C LT=LT-1
C K=N*(N/NE(LT))
C
C 111 CCNTINUE
C 112 IF(LT>D1) D1=LT
C IF(D1>LT) GO TO 113
C DC 48 J=1
C VT(J)=STAT(J,6)*(NE(J)**0.5)
C
C 49 CCNTINUE
C CALL REG(EN,VT,V,LT,DT,IX1,IX2)
C DC 77 I=1,L
C VT(I)=V(I)*NE(L)**(FLOAT(I)/2.)
C
C 77 CCNTINUE
C
C PLOT

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113  WRITE(6,104) N,M,D
      WRITE(6,101)
      DC 90 J=1,5
      IF(MOD(K,5).NE.0) GO TO 85
      YLABEL(6,1C3)'YLABEL', (PLOT(I,K),I=1,INTEL)
      WRITE(6,100) (PLOT(I,K), I=1,INWIDTH)
      GC TO 90
      CCNTINUE
      WRITE(6,100) (PLOT(I,K), I=1,INWIDTH) + INH(2)
      85  CCNTINUE
      90  CCNTINUE X-AXIS BY REUSING PLOT MATRIX.
      C   DC 115 I=1,122
          PLOT(I,1)=DASH
          PLOT(I,2)=BLK
      115  CCNTINUE
          DC 130 J=1,I
          PLOT(LOCX(J),1)=CBAR
          IK = NE(J)
          IX = LOCX(J)
          CALL NUMPER(IX,2,IK,PLOT)
      130  CCNTINUE
          WRITE(6,106) {PLOT{I,1},I=1,INWIDTH}
          WRITE(6,106) {PLOT{I,2},I=1,INWIDTH}
          L8=L
          IF(L8.GT.6) L8=6
          WRITE(6,156)
          WRITE(6,146){NE(I),I=1,L8}
          WRITE(6,157){LABEL{1},STAT{K,1},K=1,L8}
          C   CHECK TO INSURE SAMPLE SIZE IS LARGE ENOUGH TO COMPUTE
          STATISTICS BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO PRINT STATS.
          LT=L8
          L1=L8
          DC 21 I=1,L1/NE(L1)
          IP (K1,CE.2) GO TO 11
          L1=L1-1
      21  CCNTINUE
          DC 14
          WRITE(6,157) LABEL{3}, {STAT{K,2},K=1,L1}
          LT=L1
          DC 22 I=1,L1/NE(L1)
          K1 = N,CE.3 GC TO 12
          IP (K1,CE.3) GC TO 12
          L1=L1-1
      22  CONTINUE

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C IF(IFLAG .EQ. 1) .OR. Y(I) .LT. XLOW) GO TO 25
C THIS IS THE LOW-CROSS POINTER (1ST POINT GE XLCW)
C IFLAG=.TRUE.
C
C 25 IF(X(J) .LT. XHI) IX=J
C NEXT LINE ENDS UP WITH HI-CROSS POINTER (LAST POINT LE XHI)
C IF(Y(I) .LT. XHI) .AND.Y(I) .LE. CHI) PLOT(IX,J)=CO
C IF(Y(I) .GT. XHI) .AND.Y(I) .LE. CHI) FLCT(IX,J)=CSTR
C CCNTINE
C GO TO 56
C
C SCALE TO INTERQUARTILE + (-) INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE.
C
C 55 I1=0
C I1=I
C DC 31 I=1 N1
C J=(Y(I)-Y(CLOW))*VSCALE+1
C IF(Y(I) .LT. CLOW) I1=I1+1
C IF(Y(I) .GT. CHI) I1=I1+1
C IF(Y(I) .LT. CHI) I1=I1+1
C IF(Y(I) .GT. CHI) I1=I1+1
C GO TO 31
C IF(IFLAG .EQ. 1) .OR. Y(I) .LT. XLOW) PLOT(IX,J)=CC
C IF(Y(I) .GE. CLOW) .AND.Y(I) .LT. XLOW) GO TO 26
C THIS IS THE LOW-CROSS POINTER (1ST POINT GE XLCW)
C IFLAG=.TRUE.
C
C IIX=J
C NEXT LINE ENDS UP WITH HI-CROSS POINTER (LAST POINT LE XHI)
C IF(Y(I) .LT. XHI) IX=J
C IF(Y(I) .GT. XHI) .AND.Y(I) .LE. CHI) PLOT(IX,J)=CO
C CCNTINE
C
C PRINT NUMBER OF OUTLIERS UNLESS 0.
C
C DC 22 K=1,2
C IK=I
C J=(CLOW-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C IF(Y(I) .LT. 0) J=1
C IF(K .EQ. 2) IK=IK+1
C IF(K .EQ. 2) J=(CHI-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C IF(J .GT. 50) J=50
C IF(IK .EQ. 0) GO TO 22
C CALL NUMPRT(IX,J,IK,FLCT)
C CCNTINE
C
C 56 DC 32 I=IK+1
C PLOT(IX,I)=CBAR
C CCNTINE
C 32 CC 33 I=10^3*IX
C PLOT(IX,I)=CBAR

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I10 = (IK-1)1000*1000-I100*100)/10
FLOT(IX,IJ) = NUM(I10+1)
I11 = (IK-1)1000*1000-I100*100-I10*10)
FLOT(IX+1,IJ) = NUM(I10+1)
GO TO 22
3
I10 = IK/100
FLOT(IX-1,IJ) = NUM(I100+1)
I10 = (IK-1)100*100/10
FLOT(IX,IJ) = NUM(I10+1)
I11 = (IK-1)100*100-I10*10)
FLOT(IX+1,IJ) = NUM(I10+1)
GCTO
2 I10 = IK/10
FLOT(IX-1,IJ) = NUM(I10+1)
I11 = (IK-1)10*10
FLOT(IX,IJ) = NUM(I11+1)
GCTO
1 FLOT(IX,IJ) = NUM(IK+1)
22 RETURN
END

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C ****
C
C SUBROUTINE SECEST(X(1),N,NEK,EST,Y,KEF)
C REAL X(5000),Y(12500)
C COMPUTE ESTIMATES "EST" FOR SECTION LENGTH NEK
C NEK=N/NEK
C KE=0
DC 10 I=1 N
TE= (I-1)*N + 1
DO 15 J=1,NEK
  KP=KE+1
  Y(KP)=EST(IX(IP),NEK)
  IP=IP+NEK
15 CONTINUE
10  CCNTINUP
      RETURN
END
C ****
C
C SUBROUTINE MAXMIN(Y,N,YMAX,YMIN)
C RETURNS MAX AND MIN VALUES OF VECTOR Y OF LENGTH N
C
REAL Y(N)
YMAX=Y(1)
YMIN=Y(1)
DC 605 J=1 N
IP(Y(J)+1,N) YMIN=Y(J)

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605 CCNT(I,0) . G1. YMAX) YMAX=Y(J)  
RETURN  
END
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C*****  
C FUNCTION PCTL{Y(N,P)} COMPUTES P PERCENTILE OF N VALUES IN Y  
C  
REAL Y(N)  
R=F*PLCAT{N+1}  
CALL SCRT{Y(N)}  
I=MAXO{I,N}  
I=MINO{I,N}  
J=MINO{INT(F+1.) , N}  
R=F-INT(R)  
PCTL=Y(I)+R*(Y(J)-Y(I))  
RETURN  
END
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C*****  
C SUBROUTINE DELET{Y(KP,YMAX,YMIN)}  
C SUBROUTINE SCALES THE GRAPH TO UPPER{LOWER} QUARTILE + (-)  
C 5 TIMES INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE OR TO FIRST POINT WITHIN (-)  
C THESE LIMITS IF NO POINTS EXIST OUTSIDE.  
REAL Y(KP),Z(1250)  
CCFY BEFORE SORTING  
DC 2 3 I=1, KF  
2(I)=I(I)  
23 CCNT{NUE}
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P25=PCtl{2,KP,'25}  
F75=PCtl{2,KP,'75}  
F50=PCtl{2,KP,'50}  
YMIN=2.5*P4/5-1.5*F75  
YMAX=2.5*P4/5-1.5*F25  
IF(Z(1).GT.YMIN) YMIN=Z(1)  
IF(Z(KP).LT.YMAX) YMAX=Z(KP)  
RETURN  
END
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C*****  
C SUBROUTINE CHOLES{XTX,XTY,BHAT,N}  
REAL*8 L(4,4),SUM,LT(4,4),XTY(4,4),BHAT(4),WT(4)  
REAL*4 B(4)  
INTEGER P  
C
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***** INIT L *****
DC 100 I=1, N
EHAT(I)=0, CDO
DO 50 J=1, N
L(I,J)=0, ODO
L(I,J)=C, ODO
50 CONTINUE
***** ALGORITHM DECOMPOSITION *****
L(1,1)=DSQ51(XTX(1,1))
D(50)=K=2, N
K=K-1
EO 200 J=1, KK
JJ=J-1
SUM=0, ODO
IP(J,EO,I-1), GO TO 150
DO 140 P=1, KK
SUM=SUM+(L(K,P)*L(J,P))
CONTINUE
150 L(K,I)=XTX(K,J)-SUM/L(J,J)
200 CCM(FNUB)
EDH=0, ODO
DC 300 P=1, KK
SUM=SUM+(L(K,P)**2)
CONTINUE
300 L(K,I)=DSCRT(XTX(K,K)-SUM)
500 CCM(FNUB)
C BUID L-TRANSFCSE IN IT *****
C BUID DC 540 I=1, N
DO 530 J=1, N
L(I,J)=L(J,I)
530 CONTINUE
540 CCM(FNUB)
***** A L G O R I T H M PART 1 A.. 2 *****
C*** A L G O R I T H M PART 1 A.. 2 *****
WY(I)=XTX(I,I)/L(I,I)
DO 700 I=2, N
DO IT=I-1
SUM=0, ODO
DO 600 J=1, IT
SUM=SUM+(WY(J)*L(I,J))
600 CONTINUE
WY(I)=(XTX(I,I)-SUM)/L(I,I)
700 CCM(FNUB)
C *** IT * BHAT = WY *****

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BHAT(N)=WY(N)/LT(N,N)
DC 80  I=1,N
      I=N-I+1
      SUM=0.0
      DO 750 J=1,N
      SUM=SUM+(BHAT(J)*LT(I,J))
      CONTINUE
      BHAT(I)=(WY(I)-SUM)/LT(I,I)
      CCNTINUE
      800  RETURN
C
      DC 950 I=1,4
      B(I)=SNGL(BHAT(I))
      CCNTINUE
      950  RETURN
C
C**** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * X = XRES ***
C
C SUBROUTINE MAT50( J,8) , XRES(4,4) , SUM
C REAL*8 X(8,4) , XT(4,8) , XRES(4,4) , SUM
C ***
C *** EBUILD X-TRANSPOSE IN LT ****
C
      DO 20 I=1,8
      DO 10 J=1,N
      XT(J,I)=X(I,J)
      10  CONTINUE
      20  CCNTINUE
C
C *** XT * X = XRES ***
C
      DC 50  I=1,N
      DO 40 J=1,N
      SUM=0.0
      DO 30 K=1,N
      SUM=SUM+(XT(I,K)*X(K,J))
      30  CCNTINUE
      XRES(I,J) = SUM
      40  CONTINUE
      50  CCNTINUE
      RETURN
C
C *** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * Y = XTY ***
C
C SUBROUTINE MAT50(4,8) , XT(4,8) , X(8,4) , XTY(4) , SUM
C REAL*8 Y(8) , XT(4,8) , X(8,4) , XTY(4) , SUM
C

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C***** BUILD XT *****
DC 20 I=1 N
DO 10 J=1 N
    RT(J,I)=X(I,J)
10  CONTINUE
20  CONTINUE
C***** XT * Y = XTY *****
C
DC 50 I=1 N
SDH=0.0DC
DO 40 J=1 N
    SUM=SDH+(XT(I,J)*Y(J))
40  CONTINUE
50  CCNTINUE
    RETURN
END
C***** SUBROUTINE SORT (Y(N)) SHELL ALGORITHM *****
C
C  IN PLACE SORT USING SHELL ALGORITHM
C
C  INITIALIZE
C  INTEGER C
C  LOGICAL EXCH
C
C
C  GAP=(N/2)
5  IF (NCNT(GAP,NE,0)) GO TO 500
    CONTINUE
    EXCH=.TRUE.
    K=N-GAP
    DO 200 I=1, K
        KK=I+GAP
        IP=(NCNT(Y(I),GT,Y(KK))) GO TO 100
        Y(I)=Y(KK)
        Y(KK)=TEMP
        EXCH=.FALSE.
100  CONTINUE
        IP(.NOT.(EXCH)) GO TO 10
        GAP=(GAP/2)
        DO 500
            CCNTINUE
            RETURN
END

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APPENDIX B

SIMTB2 (VERSION 2) PROGRAM LISTING

SIMTB2 PROGRAM LISTING

FUFCSB TO GENERATE REGRESSION ADJUSTED ESTIMATES AND BOXPLOTS
OF ESTIMATES OF AN INPUT DATA SERIES X CONTAINING M
(REPLICATIONS) OF N VALUES EACH UP TO 3. ESTIMATING
FUNCTIONS CAN BE USED. THE GRAPHS CAN ALL BE OF THE SAME
SCALE OR SCALED INDIVIDUALLY.

DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS

X REPI*4 ARRAY CONTAINING DATA
A MAXIMUM OF 50,000 DATA ELEMENTS CAN BE STORED IN X.

N NUMBER OF DATA ELEMENTS PER SECTION (N IS SAMPLE SIZE).
N CANNOT EXCEED 50,000 AND M*N MUST NOT EXCEED 50,000.

M NUMBER OF SECTIONS (REPLICATIONS).
M CANNOT EXCEED 100 AND M*N MUST NOT EXCEED 50,000.

NE INTEGER ARRAY OF SIZE 8 CONTAINING SUBSAMPLE SIZES FCR N.
THE VALUES OF NE MUST BE FROM SMALLEST TO LARGEST.
NO ELEMENT OF THE ARRAY NE CAN BE GREATER THAN N.
M*(N/NE(1)) MUST NOT EXCEED 12,500.

L NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLE SIZES FROM NE(8) THAT WILL BE USED TO
SECTION N. IT IS ALSO THE NUMBER OF BOXPLOTS THAT WILL BE PRODUCED.

D DEGREE OF REGRESSION FOR MEAN AND VARIANCE REGRESSIONS.
D WILL BE REDUCED BY 1 IF THE SAMPLE IS NOT LARGE
ENOUGH. D MUST BE 1, 2 OR 3. D=0 WILL IGNORE REGRESSIONS.

*** SCALING ***
SCALING IS ACCOMPLISHED BY TAKING THE SMALLEST AND THE
LARGEST ESTIMATE VALUES FROM ALL SUBSAMPLES AND THE
LARGEST FROM ALL SUBSAMPLES. THE USER TO SCALE THE GRAPH
AND THE SEPARATE PARAMETER ALLOWS THE USER TO SCALE THEM ALL TO
THE SAME SCALAR INDIVIDUALLY OR TO THE SAME SCALAR
THE SAME SCALAR. SCALING ALL TO THE SAME SCALAR IS
ACCOMPLISHED BY TAKING THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM
FROM ALL THREE ESTIMATORS USING NE(1) SUBSAMPLE SIZE.
THE RG PARAMETER ALLOWS THE USER TO REDUCE THE VER-
TICAL SCALE TO THE UPPER QUARTILE DISTANCE + 1.5 TIMES
INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE MAX VALUE AND THE LOWER

QUARTILE - 1.5 TIMES THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE BIN VALUE. THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE IS COMPUTED FROM THE SAMPLE OF ESTIMATES FROM THE NE(1) SUBSAMPLE SIZE. IF THERE ARE NO ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THESE MIN AND MAX VALUES THEN THE SCALE IS TO THE FIRST VALUE WITHIN THEM. IF THERE ARE ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THESE LIMITS THEN THEY ARE COUNTED AND THE NUMBER PRINTED AT THE ENDS OF THE ECX PLOTS.

SVS PARAMETER ALLOWS THE USER TO SET THE VERTICAL SCALE. WHEN THE VERTICAL SCALE IS SET THE SEI PARAMETER IS IGNORED AND THE VERTICAL SCALE BECOMES YMIN AND YMAX.

RG RG=0 DO NOT REDUCE GRAPHICS VERTICAL SCALE OF THE GRAPHS.
 RG=1 REDUCE GRAPHICS VERTICAL SCALE TO UPPER (LOWER) QUARTILE + (-) INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE.

SEI SEI=0 DO NOT SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.
 SEI=1 SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.

SVS SVS=0 PROGRAM WILL CALCULATE VERTICAL SCALE.
 SVS=1 USER SETS VERTICAL SCALE TO YMIN AND YMAX.

YMIN LOW VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1

YMAX HIGH VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1

NEST NUMBER OF ESTIMATORS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE STATISTICAL PARAMETER FROM X DATA.
 NEST MUST BE 1,2 OR 3.

EST1 EST2 EST3 NAMES OF THE ESTIMATOR FUNCTIONS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE THE STATISTICAL PARAMETER. CALL FNAME(X,N) WHERE CALLS SEQUENCE ON EACH FUNCTION IS: CALL FNAME(X,N) WHERE X IS THE DATA ARRAY AND N IS THE NUMBER OF DATA POINTS. THEY MUST BE DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM (RAGE) IN THE ORDER THEY ARE USED. DUMMY VARIABLES MUST BE INSERTED WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN 3 ESTIMATORS.

TIT1 TIT2 TIT3 TITLES ASSOCIATED WITH EACH ESTIMATOR (EST1(2,3)) ESTIMATOR. TOP 120 CHARACTERS CAN BE USED TO DESCRIBE EACH ESTIMATOR. EACH TITLE MUST BE DECLARED AS REAL*8(15) ARRAYS UNLESS PASSED AS AN ARGUMENT OF THE CALLING PROGRAM RAGE. WHEN PASSING THE TITLE AS AN ARGUMENT THERE MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 120 CHARACTERS BETWEEN APCSTROPHES.


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C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 1ST ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.
C 75 CALL SECEST1(X,NM,NE(1),EST1,Y,KP,IR,KP)
C IF(RG.EQ.20) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C ULH(4)=YMAX
C CALL PBST(X,NM,NE(1),EST1,ULH(4),0LH(4))
C WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.1) WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.2) WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.1) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C IF(NEST.EQ.2) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C CALL PBST(X,NM,NE(1),EST2,ULH(4),0LH(4))
C WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.1) WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.2) WRITE(6,104)
C GO TO 80

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 2ND ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.
C 76 CALL SECEST2(X,NM,NE(1),EST2,Y,KP,IR,KP)
C IF(RG.EQ.20) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C ULH(4)=YMAX
C CALL PBST(X,NM,NE(1),EST2,ULH(4),0LH(4))
C WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.1) WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.2) WRITE(6,104)
C GO TO 80

C FIND VERTICAL SCALE FOR 3RD ESTIMATOR AND GRAPH.
C 77 CALL SECEST3(X,NM,NE(1),EST3,Y,KP,IR,KP)
C IF(RG.EQ.20) CALL DELET0(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C IF(RG.EQ.1) CALL MAXMIN(Y,KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C ULH(4)=YMAX
C CALL PBST(X,NM,NE(1),EST3,ULH(4),0LH(4))
C WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.1) WRITE(6,104)
C IF(NEST.EQ.2) WRITE(6,104)
C GO TO 80

C 80 CCNTINUE
C 102 FCMMAT(1X,'ESTIMATOR: ',15A8)
C 103 FCMMAT(1X,'VERTICAL SCALE: ',15A8)
C 104 FCMMAT(1X,'YMIN = ',F10.4,'/BTWEEN 1 AND 810.4/')
C 105 FCMMAT(1X,'YMAX = ',F10.4,'/BTWEEN 1 AND 100.***')
C 106 FORMAT(1X,'N MUST BE 3 OR LESS THAN 100.***')
C 107 FORMAT(1X,'N MUST BE 1 OR GREATER THAN 100.***')
C 108 FORMAT(1X,'N/NE(1) MUST BE LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 3.***')
C 109 FORMAT(1X,'N/NE(1) MUST NOT EXCEED 12500.***')
C 110 FORMAT(1X,'ELEMENTS ARE NOT IN ORDER.***')
C 111 FORMAT(1X,'INCREASING SIZES. IF NE(1) IS NOT SMALLEST ELEMENT, SCALING')
C 112 FORMAT(1X,'MAY CAUSE PCINTS TO FALL OUTSIDE RANGE OF SCALE.***')
C RETURN

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C SUBROUTINE ESTIM(X,N,ESTIMATE, I, RG, UD, ULH, Y, IR, IJK)
C SUBROUTINE REJEST(IJD,ESTIMATE)
C CALCULATES ESTIMATES FROM USER DATA USING "ESTI" FUNCTION
C EASIER OR RETRENCHED GRAPH ON LINE PRINTER
C
C EST = NAME OF USER WRITTEN ESTIMATING FUNCTION.
C
C USAGE: FUNCTION NAME(X,N)
C WHERE X IS A VECTOR WITH N ENTRIES
C
C N = NO. OF REPLICATES (MUST BE <= 100)
C N = NUMBER OF VALUES IN EACH REPLICATION {N*N MUST BE <= 10000}
C X = USERS VECTOR WITH N CONSECUTIVE BATCHES OF N VALUES EACH
C I = NO. OF SECTIONS (MUST SEE BETWEEN 1 AND 8)
C N = ARRAY WITH THE SIZES (MUST BE <= L-1)
C L = DEGREE OF THE REGRESSION (MUST BE <= L-1)
C ULH= XMIN, XMAX, YMAX, YMIN. ONLY ULH(2) AND ULH(4) NEED TO BE PASSED. OTHERS CALC. HERE
C
C DIMENSION NP(L)
C INTEGER NB(8),LOC(8),D1,LWIDTH,UD,DLT,DT,RGRNEK
C INTEGER F10(6),F12(5),CBAR,BLK,DSH,CSTR,NUM(10),DOT
C REAL*4 X(16,IRK),ULH(4),DLH(4),Y(12500)
C REAL*4 RH(8,100),STAT(8,6),VT(8)
C REAL*8 SUM(8),SUM4,LABEL(5)
C REAL*4 RA(8,4),RV(8,4),B(4,100),V(4),BA(4),BV(4),BS(4),RT(8),LT(8)
C
C DATA DLH/1.1,1.122,50.0/
C DATA BLK/1.0,DA,SH/-1.0/
C DATA LABEL/MEAN,STD,STD MEAN/,SKWNESS/,KURTOSIS/
C DATA DMIN(3,0),U(1,1)
C IX1=8
C IX2=4
C N=N*N
C D=D+1
C LWIDTH=10+DLH(3)
C
C BUILD REGRESSION MATRICES FOR AVERAGES AND VARIANCES
C DC 84 K=1 L
C DO 86 J=1 L
C T=FLOAT(NE(L))/FLOAT(NE(K))
C RA(K,J)=T*(J-1)/(FLBAT(J))/2.0
C RV(K,J)=T*(FLBAT(J))/2.0
C
C CONTINUE
C CLEAR FLOT ARRAY
C DC 3 J=1,5C

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DO 4 I=1,122
  FLOAT(I,J)=ELK
  CONTINUE
  C  CCNT HORIZONTAL XMIN, XMAX
  C  ULH(1)=7*NE(1)
  C  ULH(3)=1.2*NE(1)
  C  SET SCALE(L)
  C  CALL SCAL(ULH,DLH)
  C  CCMPUTE LOCATION CP FOXPLOTS ALONG X-AXIS
  LAST=-1
  DO 5 K=1,L
    NE(K)=NE(K)
    LOCX(K)=(NE(K)-ULH(1))*(DLH(3)-DLH(1))/ (ULH(3)-ULH(1))+.5
    IF(LOCX(K).LT. LAST) LOCX(K)=LAST
    LAST=LOCX(K)
  5 CCNTINUE

  C  DC 80 K=1, I
    NEK=NE(K)
    ENEK=NE(K)
    SECTCN & COMPUTE ESTIMATORS FOR SIZE K
    CALL SECTCN(XNN, RNEKEST(Y,KP,IRK))
    AVERAGE ESTIMATES OF SIZE NE(K) FOR EACH OF N REPLICATIONS
    KP=0
    DO 10 I=1,2
      RH(K,I)=0.
      DO 15 J=1,NBK
        KP=KP+1
        RH(K,I)=RH(K,I)+Y(KF)
      15 CONTINUE
      RH(K,I)=RH(K,I)/FLOAT(NBK)
    10 CCNTINUE
    CALL BOXPRT(Y,KP,LOCX(K),PLOT,RG)
    IF(K>I) GO TO 80
    C  CCMPUTE MEAN AND MOMENT ESTIMATES
    XMEAN=0.
    DC 180 IM 1=1,KP
    XMEAN=XMEAN+Y(IM 1)
  180 CCNTINUE
    XMEAN=XMEAN/FLOAT(KF)
    SUM2=0.0E0
    SUM3=0.0E0
    SUM4=0.0E0
    DC 190 IP 1=1,KP
    DEV=Y(IP 1)-XMEAN
    SUM2=SUM2+DEV*DEV
    SUM3=SUM3+DEV**3

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190 SUM4 = SUM4 + DEV ** 4
C
C CHECK TO INSURE SAMPLE SIZE IS LARGE ENOUGH FOR
C EACH MOMENT COMPUTATION.
C IF (KP.LT.2) GO TO 7
C VAR = SUM2 / (KP - 1.0)
C STDV = SQRT(VAR)
7  IF (KP.LT.3) GO TO 8
C SKEW = XSUM3 / STDV ** 3 * (KP-1.) * (KP-2.)
C
8  IF (KP.LT.4) GO TO 9
C ISUM4 = SNGL(SUM4 * (KP-2.) * KP+3.) / (KP+1.) * (KP-2.) * (KP-3.)
C XSUM4 = XSUM4 - VAR * (VAR*3. / (KP+KP-3.)) / (KP*(KP-2.)*(KP-3.))
C KURT = XSUM4 / (VAR * VAR)
C
9  STAT(K,1) = MEAN
C STAT(K,2) = STDV
C STAT(K,3) = STDV/SQRT(FLOAT(KP))
C STAT(K,4) = SKEW
C STAT(K,5) = KURT
C STAT(K,6) = VAR
C
80 CCNTINUE
C
C IF D1.I1.2 THEN NO REGRESSIONS OR PLOTING CAN BE DONE
C
C IF (D1.I1.2) GO TO 113
C DC 92 K=1 L
C DO 47 J=1 L
C     RT(J) = EH(J,K)
C
47  CCNTINUE
C CALL PREG(EA,RT,BT,I,D1,IX1,IX2)
C D(1,K)=BT{1}
C D(2,KT)=BT{2}
C B(KT,K)=BT(KT)*NE(L)**(KT-1)
C
23 CCNTINUE
C
92 CCNTINUE
C
C AVERAGE REGRESSION CCEFF. OVER N REPLICATNS & CALC. VARIANCE
C
C DO 94 I=1, D1
C     EA(I)=0.
C     EV(I)=0.
C DO 95 J=1,K
C     BA(I,J)=BA(I,J)+B(I,J)**2
C     EV(I,J)=BA(I,J)+B(I,J)**2
C
95  CCNTINUE
C     EA(I)=BA(I,J)/FLOAT(N)
C     IF(N.EQ.1) GO TO 54

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94 CCNTINUE
C
C ESTABLISH REGRESSION LINE & ASYMPTOTE
C
DC 98 I=3 J=WIDTH
MAP I FROM DEVICE SPACE TO USER SPACE
UX=(I-DLH(1))*ULH(3)-ULH(1)/(DLH(3)-DLH(1))+ULH(1)
COM P DUE TO THE REGRESSION COEFFICIENTS.
UY=BA(1)
DO 99 J=1,E
UY=UY+BA(J+1)/UX**J
CONTINUE
99
C
MAP THE Y VALUE FROM USER SPACE TO DEVICE SPACE
J=(UY-ULH(2))*(DLH(4)-DLH(2))/(ULH(4)-ULH(2))+DLH(2)+.5
IF(J.LT.-1.OR.J.GT.50)GO TO 98
IF(PLOT(I,J).EQ.0)PLOT(I,J)=DOT
98 CCNTINUE
C
SCALE ASYMPTOTE Eta0 AND PLOT ACROSS PLOT
J=(BA(1)-ULH(2))*(DLH(4)-DLH(2))/ULH(4)+ULH(2)+DLH(2)+.5
IF(J.LT.-1.OR.J.GT.50)GO TO 117
DC 120 I=3,WIDTH
IF(PLOT(I,J).EQ.0)PLOT(I,J)=DASH
120 CCNTINUE
C
REGRESSION CN VARIANCES FROM EACH SEGMENT WITH A VARIANCE.
C
117 K=N*(N/NE(1))
LT=L
DI=D
DC 111 I=1,L
IP(K,GP,2) GO TO 112
LT=LT-1
K=N*(N/NE(LT))
111 CCNTINUE
112 IF(LT.LT.DI) DT=L
IP(DI-LT,DJ) DT=L
DC 48 J=I+2 GO TO 113
48 VT(J)=STAT(J,6)*(NE(J)**0.5)
CALL REG(FV,VT,V,LT,DT,IX1,IX2)
DC 77 I=1,L
V(I)=V(I)*NE(L)**(FLOAT(I)/2.)
77 CCNTINUE
C

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C   PLOT ****
C 11: WRITE(6,104) N,M,E
      WRITE(6,101)
      DC90 J=1,50
      K=51-J
      IF(MOD((K-5),LH(2)) .NE. 0) GO TO 85
      YLABEL=(K-5)/LH(2)*DLH(4)-ULH(2),1/(DLH(4)-DLH(2)) + DLH(2)
      WRITE(6,103) YLABEL,(PLOT(I,K),I=1,N/NE(LH))
      GC TO 90
      CONTINUE
      WRITE(6,100) (PLOT(I,K),I=1,1)
      90 CCNTINUE X-AXIS BY REUSING PLOT MATRIX.
C      LABEL X-AXIS BY REUSING PLOT MATRIX.
      DO 115 I=1,122
          PLOT(I,1)=DASH
          PLOT(I,2)=BLK
      115 CCNTINUE
      DC130 J=1,1
      PLOT(LOCX(J),1)=CBAR
      IK=NE(J)
      IX=LOCX(J)
      CALL NUMPER(IK,2,IK,PLOT)
      130 CCNTINUE
      WRITE(6,106) (PLOT(I,1),I=1,1)
      WRITE(6,104) (PLOT(I,2),I=1,1)
      1E=L
      IF(L .GT. 8) L8=8
      WRITE(6,156)
      WRITE(6,146) (NE(I),I=1,L8)
      WRITE(6,157) LABEL(1),(STAT(K,1),K=1,L8)
      CHECK(TOINSURE SAME SIZE IS LARGE ENOUGH TO COMPUTE
      STATISTICS BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO PRINT STATS.
      L1=L8
      DC21 I=1,I=NE(LH)
      K1=M/NE(LH)
      IP=(K1-1)/2 GO TO 11
      L1=L1-1
      21 CCNTINUE
      11 WRITE(6,157) LABEL(2),(STAT(K,2),K=1,L1)
      IP=L1
      IT=22 I=1,I=NE(LH)
      DC22 K1=M/NE(LH)
      IP=(K1-1)/2 GO TO 12

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DATA DASH/ '-' /, CBA/R/ ' ' /, CSTR/ '*' /, CROSS/ '**' /, CC/ '0' /
C
I IF NY LESS. I IN 9 POINTS JUST SHOW THE POINTS
DC 8 I=1 NY
J=(Y(I)-Y(HIN)) *VSCALE + 1. OUTSIDE WINDOW
I IF(J.GT.5) OR.
I IF(J.LT.1) GO TO 8
PLOT(I,J)=C0
C
CCNT=0
SUN=0
DC 88 I=1 NY
SUN=SUN+ I (I)
CCNT=CCNT+1
SUBSUN/PLCAT(NY)
MEAN=(SUN-YHIN)*VSCALE+1
FICT(I,XHAN)=CSTR
GCTD 99
CCNTINUE
I IF IFLAG=FALSE.
P25=PCTL(Y,NY,25)
P75=PCTL(Y,NY,75)
P50=(P25-YHIN)*VSCALE+1
P75=(P50-YHIN)*VSCALE+1
P25=(P75-YHIN)*VSCALE+1
P75=(P25-YHIN)*VSCALE+1.
XLOW=(XL0H-YHIN)*VSCALE+1.
XHI=2*(F75-F25)
XH1=(XH1-YHIN)*VSCALE+1.
XH0=(XH0-YHIN)*VSCALE+1.
CCHI=2.5*(P25-1.5*F75
DRAW BOX
DC 20 I=101 IQ3
PLOT(IX-1,I)=CBA R
PLOT(IX+1,I)=CBA R
CCNTINUE
I IF(I=101) GO TO 30
PLOT(IX-1,IC1)=DASH
PLOT(IX+1,IC1)=DASH
PLOT(IX-1,IC3)=DASH
PLOT(IX+1,IC3)=DASH
I IF OUTLINES ARE TO BE COUNTED AND THE NUMBER PRINTED.
C
C
DO 30 I=1 NY
J=(Y(I)-Y(HIN)) *VSCALE+1
I IF(J.GT.5) OR.
I IF(J.LT.1) PLOT(I,J)=CSTR
I IF(Y(I).LT.CLOW) GO TO 30
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C IF(Y(I).GE.CLOW .AND. Y(I).LT.XLOW) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C THIS IS THE LOW-CROSS POINTER (1ST POINT GE XLCW)
C IFIX=J .IFLAG=.TRUE.
C NEXT LINE ENDS UP WITH HI-CROSS POINTER (LAST POINT LE XHI)
C 25 IF(Y(I).LE.XHI) .AND.Y(I).LE.CHI) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C IF(Y(I).GE.XHI) .AND.Y(I).LE.CHI) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C 30 CCNTINUE
C 30 GC TO 56

C SCALE TO INTERQUARTILE + (-) INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE.
C 55 III=0
C DC 31 I=1 IV=1 *VSCALE + 1
C J=(Y(I)-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C IF(Y(I).LT.CLOW) III=III+1
C IF(Y(I).GT.CHI) III=III+1
C IF(Y(I).GT.5C.IOR. J.LT.I) GO TO 31
C IF(Y(I).GT.CLOW .AND.Y(I).LT.XLOW) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C IF(Y(I).LT.XLOW) GO TO 26
C IF(Y(I).GE.CLOW .AND.Y(I).LT.XLOW) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C IF(Y(I).LE.CHI) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C THIS IS THE LOW-CROSS POINTER (1ST POINT GE XLCW)
C IFIX=J .IFLAG=.TRUE.
C NEXT LINE ENDS UP WITH HI-CROSS POINTER (LAST POINT LE XHI)
C 26 IF(Y(I).LE.XHI) .AND.Y(I).LE.CHI) PLOT (IX,J)=CO
C 31 CCNTINUE
C ERINT NUMBER OF OUTLIERS UNLESS 0.
C DC 22 K=1,2
C IK=I(CLOW-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C J=(CLOW-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C IF(K.LT.0) J=1
C IF(K.EQ.2) IK=IK+1
C IF(K.EQ.26) J=(CHI-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
C IF(J.GT.50) J=50
C IF(IK.EQ.0) GO TO 22
C CALL NUMPRT(IX,J,IK,FLOT)
C 22 CCNTINUE

C FILL BARS ABOVE AND BELOW THE BOX
C 56 DC 32 I=IIX,IQ1
C FLOT(IX,I)=CBAR
C 32 CCNTINUE
C DC 33 I=IQ3,IX

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      PILOT (IK,J) = NUM (IK-1,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK+1,J) = NUM (IK+1,0*10+1)
      GC TO 22
      3 PILOT (IK-1,J) = NUM (IK-1,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK,J) = NUM (IK,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK+1,J) = NUM (IK+1,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK+1,J) = NUM (IK+1,0)
      GC TO 22
      2 PILOT (IK-1,0) = NUM (IK-1,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK,J) = NUM (IK,0*10+1)
      PILOT (IK+1,J) = NUM (IK+1,0)
      GC TO 22
      1 PILOT (IK,J) = NUM (IK+1)
      22 RETURN
      END
      ****
      C SUBROUTINE SECEST (XN,NEK,EST,Y,IR,IRK)
      REAL X(IR,IRK),Y(12500),XW(5000,3)
      C COMPUTE ESTIMATES "EST" FOR SECTION LENGTH NEK
      C *** IRK2 MUST MATCH THE SECOND DIMENSION OF XW ***
      DATA IRK2/3/
      DATA IDR/5000/
      C
      IF (IRK.LE.IRK2) GO TO 20
      2 WRITE (6,1) *** * ERROR IN SUBROUTINE SECEST ***
      1 WRITE (6,2)
      3 WRITE (6,3)
      4 WRITE (6,4)
      20 STOP
      C
      NEK=N/NEK
      KE=0
      DC=100 I=1 N=1
      1 F=(I-1)*KE+1
      1 P2=IP+NEK
      1 O 95 J=1 ,NBK
      KP=KE+1
      KK=0

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DO 60 II=IP,IP2
  KK=KK+1
  DO 40 II=IRK+1,IRK
    XW(KK,IRK)=X(II,II,IRK)
    CONTINUE
  40
    Y(KP)=PST(XW,NEK,1DR,IRK)
    IP=I+NP2
    IP2=IP2+NEK
  95  CONTINUE
  100 CONTINUE
  END
C*****SUBROUTINE MAXMIN(Y,N)YMAX,YMIN OF VECTOR Y OF LENGTH N
C*****RETURNS MAX AND MIN VALUES OF VECTOR Y
C*****REAL Y(N)
C*****YMAX=Y(1)
C*****YMIN=Y(1)
C*****DC605:J=1,N
C*****IP(Y(J):L4:YMIN) YMAX=Y(J)
C*****IF(Y(J):L4:G1: YMAX) YMIN=Y(J)
  605 CONTINUE
  RETURN
  END
C*****FUNCTION PCTL(Y,N,F)
C*****COMPUTES PERCENTILE CF N VALUES IN Y
C*****REAL Y(N)
C*****REF*PLICAT(Y,N+1)
C*****CALL SQR(Y,N)
C*****I=MAX0(INT(F),1)
C*****I=MIN0(INT(F),N)
C*****J=MIN0(INT(F+1.),N)
C*****R=B-INT(F)
C*****PCTL=Y(I)+F*(Y(J)-Y(I))
C*****RETURN
  END
C*****SUBROUTINE DELETO(Y(KP,YMAX,YMIN)
C*****SUBROUTINE SCALES THE GRAPH TO UPPER QUARTILE + (-)
C*****1.5 TIMES INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE OR TO FIRST POINT WITHIN (-)
C*****THESE LIMITS IF NO POINTS EXIST OUTSIDE.
C*****REAL Y(KP),Z(12500)

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C      CCEN BEFORE SORTING
C      DO 23 I=1,NE
23    CCNT(I)=Y(I)
      E25=PCNL(2, KP, 25)
      E75=PCNL(2, KP, 75)
      E20=PCNL(2, KP, 50)
      EIN=2.5*P/5-1.5*E25
      EX=2.5*P/5-1.5*E25
      IF(2(KP).LT.IYMAX) YMAX=Z(1(KP))
      RETURN
END
      ****
C      CHOLESKI'S METHODE ****
C      SUBROUTINE CHOLE (XTX,N, BXT,N)
      REAL*8 L(4,4), SUM, LT(4,4), XTX(4,4), XTY(4), EAT(4), WY(4)
      INTEGER P
C      **** INIT L ****
DC100 I=1,N
      EHM(I)=0.0D0
      EC50 J=1,N
      L(I,J)=0.0D0
      LT(I,J)=0.0D0
      50  CCNT(N)=
      100 CCNTINUE
      **** ALGORITHM DECOMPOSITION ****
      DC500 K=2,N
      L(1,1)=DSQRT(XTY(1,1))
      KK=K-1
      DO 200 J=1, KK
      JJ=J-1
      SUM=0.0D0
      IF (J.EQ.1) GO TO 150
      DO 140 I=1, JJ
      SUM=SUM+L(K,I)*I(J,P)
      CONTINUE
      I(K,J)=(XTX(K,J)-SUM)/L(J,J)
      140 CONTINUE
      150 SUM=0.0D0
      DC300 P=1(KK
      SUM=SUM+(I(K,P)**2)
      300 CONTINUE
      I(KK)=DSQRT (XTX(K,K)-SUM)
      500 CCNTINUE

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C BUILD L-TBANSPOSE IN LT ****
DC 540 I=1,N
E0 530 J=1,N
LT(I,J)=1(J,I)
530 CONTINUE
540 CCNTINUE

C *** L GO FINT H N PART 1 A. 2 ****
C *** L # WY = XTY
C *** WY(1)=XTY(1)/L(1,1)
DO 760 I=2,N
I=I-1
SUM=0.0
DO 600 J=1,LT(I,J)
CONTINUE
SUM=SUM+(WY(J)*L(I,J))
WY(I)=(XTY(I)-SUM)/L(I,I)
700 CCNTINUE

C *** LT * BHAT = WY ****
C *** BHAT(N)=WY(N)/LT(N,N)
DC 860 I=1,N
DC 860 I=1,N
I=N-1
SUM=0.0
DO 750 J=1,N
SUM=SUM+(BHAT(J)*LT(I,J))
CONTINUE
BHAT(I)=(WY(I)-SUM)/LT(I,I)
750 CCNTINUE
800 CCNTINUE

C DC 950 I=1,N
C B(I)=SNGI(BHAT(I))
950 CCNTINUE

C RETURN
ENC

C *** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * X = XRES ****
C
C SUBROUTINE MATSQ ( X, Y, XRES, N ) , SUM
C
C *** BUILD X-TBANSPOSE IN LT ****
DC 20 I=1,N
DO 10 J=1,N
XT(J,I)=X(I,J)
10 CCNTINUE

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C *** XT * X = XRES ****
C DC 50 I=1 N
C DO 40 J=1 N
C SUM=C*0D0
C DO 30 K=1 N
C SUM=SUM+(XT(I,K)*X(K,J))
C CONTINUE
C XRES(I,J) = SUM
C
C *** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * Y = XTY ****
C
C SUBROUTINE MATMUL ( XTY(4,8) , X(8,4) , XTY(4) , SUM
C REAL*8 X(8) ,XT(4,8) ,XT(4,4) ,XT(4,N) )
C
C *** BUILD XT ****
C DO 20 I=1 N
C DO 10 J=1 N
C XT(J,I)=X(I,J)
C
C CONTINUE
C
C *** XT * Y = XTY ****
C
C DC 50 I=1 N
C SUM=0.0F0
C DO 40 J=1 N
C SUM=SUM+(XT(I,J)*Y(J))
C
C CONTINUE
C XTY(I)=SUM
C
C *** XT * Y = XTY ****
C
C SUBROUTINE SORT ( X(N) )
C INTERFACE SORT USING SHELL ALGORITHM ****
C REAL(N),TEMP
C INTEGER GAF
C LOGICAL EXCE
C
C GAF= (N/2)

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5 IF (NOT (GAP, NE, 0)) GO TO 500
10 EXCH=.TRUE.
K=N-GAP
DO 200 I=1, K
  KK=I+GAP
  IF (NCT.(X(I).GT.X(KK))) GO TO 100
  TEMP=X(I)
  X(I)=X(KK)
  X(KK)=TEMP
  EXCH=.FALSE.
200 CONTINUE
  IF (NOT (EXCH)) GO TO 10
  GAP=(GAP/2)
  GO TO 5
500 CONTINUE
C RETURN
END
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APPENDIX C

SIMTB3 (VERSION 3) PROGRAM LISTING

SINTER3 PROGRAM LISTING

TO GENERATE REGRESSION ADJUSTED ESTIMATES AND BOX PLOTS
 OF ESTIMATES OF AN INPUT RAW DATA SERIES X CONTAINING N
 (REPLICATIONS) OF N VALUES EACH. UP TO 3 ESTIMATING
 FUNCTIONS CAN BE USED. THE GRAPHS CAN ALL BE OF THE SAME
 SCALE OR SCALED INDIVIDUALLY. THE SERIES X IS GENERATED FROM
 PROVIDED FUNCTION

DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS

GEND1, GEN2, GEN3: USER FUNCTIONS THAT WILL GENERATE THE DATA.
 THE NAMES MUST BE DECLARED AS EXTERNAL IN THE
 CALLING PROGRAM. THEIR CALLS MUST BE AS FOLLOWS:
 CALL FUNCTION NAME ('IXX',NX)
 WHERE IX IS THE SEED. X THE ARRAY & NX THE NO. TO GENERATE
ISEED1, ISEED2, ISEED3: SEEDS FOR DATA GENERATORS 1, 2 & 3.
 THE SEEDS ARE UPDATED (ADVANCED) UPON RETURN FROM SIMTB3

WORK ARRAY OF SIZE >= M*N/NE(1)

NUMBER OF DATA ELEMENTS PER SECTION (N IS SAMPLE SIZE).

M
NUMBER OF SECTIONS (REPLICATIONS).
M CANNOT EXCEED 100

NE
NUMBER OF SAMPLE SIZES FOR N.
 THE VALUES OF NE MUST BE FROM 1 TO N.
 NO ELEMENT OF THE ARRAY NE CAN BE GREATER THAN N.

I
NUMBER OF SAMPLE SIZES FROM NE(8) THAT WILL BE USED TO
SECTION N.
 IT IS ALSO THE NUMBER OF BOXPLOTS THAT WILL BE PRODUCED.

D
DEGREE OF REGRESSION FOR MEAN AND VARIANCE REGRESSIONS.
 D WILL BE REDUCED BY SIMTB3 IF THE SAMPLE IS NOT LARGE
 ENOUGH. D MUST BE 1, 2 OR 3. D=0 WILL IGNORE REGRESSIONS.

***** SCALING *****
 SCALING IS ACCOMPLISHED BY TAKING THE SMALLEST AND THE
 LARGEST ESTIMATE VALUES FROM ALL ESTIMATING FUNCTIONS
 EVALUATED ON THE SHORTEST SECTION LENGTH (NE(1)).
 THE SCALE PARAMETER ALLOWS THE USER TO SCALE THE GRAPHS

FOR EACH ESTIMATOR INDIVIDUALLY CREATING ALL TO THE SAME SCALE. SCALING ALL TO THE SAME SCALE IS ACCOMPLISHED BY TAKING THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM ESTIMATE FROM ALL THREE ESTIMATORS USING ONE (1) SUBSAMPLE SIZE. THE BIG FEAR IS THAT THE USER STOOPSREDUCE THE VERTICAL SCALING TO 1.5 TIMES THE UPPER QUARTILE DISTANCE + 1.5 TIMES THE LOWER QUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE IS COMPUTED FROM THE SAMPLE OF ESTIMATES FROM THE SAME MIN AND MAX VALUE. THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE IS 1.5 TIMES THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE - 1.5 TIMES THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE AS THE INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE IS COMPUTED FROM THE SAMPLE OF ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THESE FIRST VALUE IF THERE ARE NO ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THESE FIRST VALUE. THERE ARE ESTIMATES OUTSIDE THESE FIRST VALUE IF THE COUNTS AND THE NUMBER PRINTED AT THE ENDS OF THE EACH PLOTS.

RG	RG=0	DO NOT REDUCE THE VERTICAL SCALE OF THE GRAPHS.
	RG=1	REDUCE GRAPHICS VERTICAL SCALE TO UPPER (LOWER) QUARTILE + (-) INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE.
SEI	SEI=0	DO NOT SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.
	SEI=1	SCALE ESTIMATORS' GRAPHS INDIVIDUALLY.
SVS	SVS=0	PROGRAM WILL CALCULATE VERTICAL SCALE TO YMIN AND YMAX.
	SVS=1	USER SETS VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1
YMIN		LOW VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1
YMAX		HIGH VALUE OF VERTICAL SCALE. SET BY USER WHEN SVS=1
NEST		NUMBER OF ESTIMATORS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE STATISTICAL PARAMETER FROM X DATA. NEST MUST BE 1,2 OR 3.
EST1		NAME OF THE ESTIMATOR FUNCTIONS THAT WILL BE USED TO CALCULATE THE STATISTICAL PARAMETER.
EST2		CALL SEQUENCE ON EACH FUNCTION IS: CALL FNAME(X,N) WHERE X IS THE DATA ARRAY AND N IS THE NUMBER OF DATA POINTS.
EST3		THEY MUST BE DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM IN THE ORDER THEY ARE USED. DUMMY VARIABLES MUST BE INSERTED WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN 3 ESTIMATORS.
TIT1		TITLES ASSOCIATED WITH EACH ESTIMATION (EST1,2,3). A MAX OF 120 CHARACTERS CAN BE USED TO DESCRIBE EACH ESTIMATOR.
TIT2		

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C      EACH TITLE MUST BE DECLARED AS REAL*8(15) ARRAYS UNLESS
C      PASSED BY VALUE (WHEN PASSING THE TITLE BY VALUE THERE
C      MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 120 CHARS. BETWEEN APOSTROPHES.
C*****SUBROUTINE SINTB3(ISEED1,ISEED2,ISEED3,SE1,SVS,SH
C      *YMIN,YMAX,NEST,GEND1,EST1,TT1,GEND2,EST2,TT2,GEND3,EST3,TT3)
C
C      REAL U1H(4),Y(20000),GV(2),
C      REAL*8 T(15),TL1(15),TL2(15),TL3(15)
C      INTEGER I(8),KG,SE1,SVS,SH
C      INTEGER D,1,NEST,TEST1
C
C      GV(1)=1.E30
C      GV(2)=-1.E30
C      SH-NE(1)
C      SH=NE(1)
C
C      L1=L-1
C      IF(LT-EQ.0) GO TO 13
C      DC(1)=I+1
C      DC(1)=I+1
C      IF(NEST.EQ.1) GO TO 11
C      IF(NEST.EQ.0) WRITE(NE(1)) WRITE(6,110)
C
C      11 CCNTINUE
C      IF(NEST.EQ.1) WRITE(NE(1)) WRITE(6,110)
C      IF(NEST.EQ.0) WRITE(NE(1)) WRITE(6,110)
C
C      TEST=0
C      WRITE(6,106)
C
C      1 IF(M.GE.1 .AND. M.LE.100) GO TO 3
C      WRITE(6,1C4)
C      TEST=1
C      IF(L.GE.1 .AND. L.LE.8) GO TO 4
C      WRITE(6,1C3)
C
C      2 IF(D.LE.3) GO TO 5
C      WRITE(6,1CE)
C      TEST=1
C
C      3 CONTINUE
C      IF(NE(1)) GO TO 6
C      WRITE(6,107)
C      TEST=1
C
C      4 CCNTINUE
C      IF(TEST.NE.0) GO TO 80
C      U1H(2)=YMIN
C      U1H(4)=YMAX
C      DETERMINE HCHW EACH GRAPH IS TO BE SCALED.
C      IF(SVS.EC.1) GC TO 50
C      IF(SE1.EC.1) GC TO 75

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C
REAL*8 SUM2,SUM3,SUM4,LBL(5),V(4),BA(4),EV(4),BS(4),RT(8),BT(8)
C
DATA DLH/1.,12.2,50./
DATA BLK/1.,12.2,50./
DATA LABEL/'MEAN','STD','MEAN','STD MEAN','DOT','SKEWNESS','KURTOSIS'/
D=MINO(3,0,I-1)
IX1=8
IX2=4
N=N*N
I=D+1
I=IDTH=IPIN(DLH(3)) MATRICES FOR AVERAGES AND VARIANCES
C
DC 84 K=1 L
DC 86 J=1 L
DO 86 T=FLOAT(NE(L))/FLOAT(NE(K))
RA(K,J)=T*(J-1)
RV{K,J}=T*(FLBAT(J))/2.0
86 CONTINUE
C
84 CCNTINUE
C
CLEAR FLOT ARRAY
DC 3 J=1 5 C
DC 4 I=1 122
FLOT(I,J)=PLK
4 CCNTINUE
C
SET HORIZONTAL XMIN, XMAX
DLH(1)=7*NE(1)
DLH(3)=1.2*NE(L)
C
SET SCALE
CALL SCALE(DLH)
C
CCMPUT LOCATION CP BOXPLOTS ALONG X-AXIS
LAST=-1
DC 5 K=1,L
NBB(K)=N/NE(K)
LOCX(K)=(NE(K)-DLH(1))*(DLH(3)-DLH(1))/NE(K)
IF(LOCX(K).LT. LAST) LOCX(K)=LAST+1
LAST=LOCX(K)
5 CCNTINUE
C
DC 80 K=1,I
NEK=NB(K)
FNEK=NE(K)
SECTION & COMPUTE ESTIMATORS FOR SIZE K
CALL SEEST(GENDAT,NE(K) FOR EACH OF K REPLICATIONS
C
AVERAGE ESTIMATES OF SIZE NE(K) FOR EACH OF K REPLICATIONS
K=0
DO 10 I=1,N

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RH(K,I)=0
DO 15 KP=KP+1
  GV(1)=APIN1(GV(1), Y(KP))
  GV(2)=APIN1(GV(2), Y(KP))
  RH(K,I)=FH(K,I)+Y(KP)
  15  CONTINUE
  FH(K,I)=FE(K,I)/FLOAT(NBK)
  CCNTINUE
  CALL BOXPF(Y,KP,LOCX(K),PLOT,RG)
  IF (K>G) GO TO 80
  COMPUTE MEAN AND MCEMENT ESTIMATES
  XMEAN=0
  DO 180 IM=1,KP
    XMEAN=XMEAN+Y(IM)
    180  CCNTINUE
    XMEAN=XMEAN/FLOAT(KP)
    SUM2=0.0
    SUM3=0.0
    SUM4=0.0
    EC190=IP1=1
    KP=1E1
    XMEAN=0
    DEV=SUM2+DEV*DEV
    SUM3=SUM3+DEV**3
    SUM4=SCE4+DEV**4
    CCNTINUE
    190  CCHECK TO INSURE SAMPLE SIZE IS LARGE ENOUGH FOR
    EACH MEMENT COMPUTATION.
    IF (KF<LT/2) GO TO 7
    VAR=SUM2/(KP-1.0)
    STDV=SQRT(VAR)
    IP(KF,LT)=3
    GO TO 8
    7  ISUM3=SNGL(SUM3)*KP/3*(KP-1.)* (KP-2.)
    SKEW=XSUM3/STDV**3
    IP(KF,LT)=4
    GO TO 9
    XSUM4=SNGL((SUM4)*(KP-2.)*KP+3.)/(KP-1.)*(KP-2.)* (KP-3.)
    XSUM4=XSUM4-(VAR*VAR)/3.
    CKURT=XSUM4/(VAR*VAR)
    9  STAT(K,1)=XMEAN
    STAT(K,2)=STDV
    STAT(K,3)=STDV/SQRT(FLOAT(KP))
    STAT(K,4)=SKEW
    STAT(K,5)=CKURT
    STAT(K,6)=VAR
    80  CCNTINUE
    IF D1.LT.2 THEN NO REGRESSIONS OR PLOTING CAN BE DONE
  
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C      IF(01,LT;2) GO TO 113
DC 92  K=1
DC 47  J=1
BT(J)=RH(J,K)
47  CCNTUE
CALL RREG(FA,RT,BT,I,D1,IX1,IX2)
E(1,K)=BT(J)
D(2,3)KT=D(1)
E(KT,K)=E(1,KT)*ME(I)**(KT-1)
23  CCNTUE
92  CCNTUE

C AVERAGE REGRESSION CCEFF. OVER N REPLICATIONS & CALC. VARIANCE
C
DO 94 I=1,D1
EA(I)=0.
EV(I)=0.
DC 95 J=1,N
BA(I)=BA(I)+B(I,J)**2
EV(I)=BV(I)+B(I,J)**2
95  CCNTUE
EA(I)=BA(I)/FLOAT(N)
1E(M*E0)60 TO 94
EV(I)=BV(I)-N*BA(I)**2/(N*(N-1.))
ES(I)=BV(I)**.5
94  CCNTUE

C ESTABLISH REGRESSION LINE & ASYMPOTRE
C
DC 98 I=3 WIDTH
C MAP I FROM DEVICE SPACE TO USER SPACE
UX=(I-DLH(1))*(ULH(3)-ULH(1))/(DLH(3)-DLH(1))+ULH(1)
C COMPUTE THE { } VALUE FROM X AND THE REGRESSION COEFFICIENTS.
UY=BA(1)
DO 99 J=1,L
UY=UY+BA(J+1)/UX**J
99  CCNTUE

C
C MAP THE Y VALUE FROM USER SPACE TO DEVICE SPACE
J=(UY-ULH(2))*(DLH(4)-DLH(2))/(ULH(4)-ULH(2))+DLH(2)+.5
IF(J.LT.1) OR J.GT.50 TO 98
IF(PLOT(I,J).NE.0) PLOT(I,J)=FOT
98  CCNTUE

C SCALE ASYMPOTRE { } BETA0 AND PLOT ACROSS PLOT(2) / (ULH(4)-ULH(2)) + DLH(2) + .5
J=(BA(1)-ULH(2))* (DLH(4)-DLH(2))/(ULH(4)-ULH(2)) + DLH(2) + .5

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IF (J .LT. 1 .OR. J .GT. 50) GO TO 117
EC 120 IF(PLOT(I,J) .EQ. BLK) PLOT(I,J)=DASH
C
C REGRESSION ON VARIANCES FROM EACH SEGMENT WITH A VARIANCE.
C
C 117 K=N*(N/NE(I))
I1=L
IF=D
DO 111 I=1,1
  IP(K,GF,2)
  K=N*(N/NE(LT))
  LT=LT-1
111  CCNTINUE(N/NE(LT))
112  IF(LT .LT. DT) DT=LT
  IF(DT .LT. J-2) GO TO 113
  DC 48 J=1
  VT(J)=STAT(J,6)*(NE(J)**0.5)
48  CCNTINUE
  CALL REGC(FV,VT,V,LT,DT,IX1,IX2)
  DC 77 I=1
  V(I)=V(I)*NE(L)**(FLOAT(I)/2.)
77  CCNTINUE
C
C PLOT ****
C
C 113 WRITE(6,102)
  WRITE(6,161) N,M,D
  WRITE(6,101)
  DC 90 J=1
  K=51-J
  IF(MOD(K,5).NE.0) GO TO 85
  LABEL=(K-1)*H(2)*((ULH(4)-ULH(2))/TWH(4)-CLE(2)) + ULH(2)
  WRITE(6,1C3)
  WRITE(6,1C3)
  GOTO 90
85  CONTINUE
  WRITE(6,1C0) (PLOT(I,K), I=1, IWIDTH)
  1
  90 CCNTINUE
  LABEL X-AXIS BY REUSING PLOT MATRIX.
  DO 115 I=1,122
    PLOT(I,1)=BLK
    PLOT(I,2)=BLK
  115 CCNTINUE
  DO 130 J=1,1
    PLOT(LOCK(J),1)=CLEAR
    IR=NE(J)
    IX=LOCK(J)

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IF(J.GT.5C:CLOR. J.LT.1) GO TO 31
IF(LFLAG.GE.CRY(i).AND.Y(i).LT.XLOW) PLOT(IX,J)=CO
THIS IS THE LOW-CROSS POINT FOR (1ST POINT GE XLCW)
IX=J. TBL.
NEXT LINE ENDS UP WITH HI-CROSS POINTER (LAST POINT LE XHI)
26 IF(Y(i).LT.XHI) IX=Y(j).AND.Y(i).LE.XHI) PLOT(IX,J)=CO
:1 CCNTINUE
C PRINT NUMBER OF OUTLIERS UNLESS 0.
DC 22 K=1,2
IK=IX-LT.0 J=1
J=(CLOW-YMIN)*VSCALE + 1
IF(X.EQ.2) J=1
IF(X.EQ.50) J=50
IF(J.GT.50) GO TO 22
IF(IK.EQ.0) GO TO 22
IF(IK.EQ.50) GO TO 22
IF(IK.EQ.0) PLOT(IX,J,IK,FLOT)
22 CCNTINUE
C FILL BARS ABOVE AND BELOW THE BOX
56 DC 32 I=IX,IO1
FLOT(IX,I)=CBAR
32 CCNTINUE(NE,I)=CBAR
DC 33 I=IO3,IX
FLOT(IX,I)=CBAR
33 CCNTINUE(NE,IX)=CROSS
FLOT(IX,IX)=CROSS
FLOT(IX,IO1)=DASH
FLOT(IX,IO2)=CROSS
FLOT(IX,IX)=DASH
SUM=0.
DC 40 I=1 NY
SUM=SUM+Y(I)
40 CCNTINUE
SCM=SUM/PLCAT(NY)*SCALE+1
MEAN=(SUM-YMIN)*SCALE+1
FLOT(IX,MEAN)=CSR
99 CCNTINUE
RETURN
C*****ENTRY SCALI(UHLHDLH)
CCMPUTES XY SCALE AND LIMITS
XMIN=UHL(1)

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XMAX=ULH{3}
YMIN=ULH{2}
YMAX=ULH{4}
HSCALE={DLE{3}-DLH{4}}/{ULH{3}-ULH{4}}
VSCALE={DLH{4}-DLH{3}}/{ULH{4}-ULH{3}}
RETURN
END

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JK = ROW OF MATRIX WHERE NUMBER IS TO BE PRINTED.
JK = NUMBER TO BE PRINTED
PILOT = 2-D ARRAY WHERE NUMBER IS TO BE PLOTED.

SUBROUTINE SECEST (GENDAT, IX, N, M, NEK, EST, Y, KP)


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C 1.5 TIMES INTERQUARTILE DISTANCE OR TO FIRST POINT WITHIN
C 100 SE LIH1 IS IP NC FCINTS EXIST OUTSIDE.
C
C REAL X(KP)
C P15 = PCTL(1,KP,"25.0")
C P50 = PCTL(1,KP,"50.1")
C P75 = PCTL(1,KP,"75.1")
C YMIN = 2.5*P15*E-1.5*E25
C YMAX = 1.5*(1-KP)*LIYMIN
C IF(X(KP).GT.YMIN) YMIN=X(1)
C IF(X(KP).LT.YMAX) YMAX=X(1)
C END
C
C***** SUBROUTINE CHOLES {XTX,XTX,BHAT,N}
C REAL*8 L(4,4),SUM,LT(4,4),XTX(4,4),BHAT(4),WY(4)
C INTEGER P
C
C***** INIT L *****
DC 100 I=1,N
BHAT(I)=0.0D0
DO 50 J=1,N
L(I,J)=0.0D0
LT(I,J)=C.0D0
50 CCNTINUE
100 CCNTINUE
C*** ALGORITHM DECOMPOSITION *****
L(1,1)=DSQRT(XTX(1,1))
DC 500 K=2,N
KK=K-1
DO 200 J=1,KK
JJ=J-1
SUM=0.0D0
IP((J,EQ,1)) GO TO 150
DO 140 E=1,JJ
SUM=SUM+(L(K,E)*I(J,P))
CONTINUE
140 CONTINUE
L(K,J)=(XTX(K,J)-SUM)/L(J,J)
200 CCNTINUE
SUM=0.0D0
DO 300 P=1,KK
SUM=SUM+(I(K,P)**2)
CONTINUE
300 L(K,K)= DSQRT (XTX(K,K)-SUM)
500 CCNTINUE

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C      BUILDE L-TRANSPOSE IN LT *****
C      EC 540 I=1 N
C      DO 530 J=1 N
C      LT(I,J)=I(J,1)
C      CONTINUE
C      530 540 CONTINUE
C      **** AL GO FLT H IN PART 1 A. 2 *****
C      **** XY(I)=XTY{1}/LT(1,1)
C      DC 700 I=1,2,
C      SUM=0.0FC
C      DO 600 J=1,LT
C      SUM=SUM+(XY(J)*LT(I,J))
C      CONTINUE
C      XY(I)=(XTY(I)-SUM)/LT(I,I)
C      CONTINUE
C      600 700
C      **** LT*BHAT=XY ****
C      DC 600 I=1,N
C      BHAT(I)=XY(I)/LT(N,N)
C      SUM=0.0FC
C      DO 750 J=1,N
C      SUM=SUM+(BHAT(J)*LT(I,J))
C      CONTINUE
C      BHAT(I)=(XY(I)-SUM)/LT(I,I)
C      CONTINUE
C      750 800
C      DC 950 I=1,4
C      B(I)=SNGL(BHAT(I))
C      CONTINUE
C      800
C      RETURN
C      END
C      **** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * X = XRES ****
C      **** SUPEROUTINE MAT50 { X, XRES, X, N
C      REAL*8 X(8,4), X(4,8), XRES(4,4), SUM
C      **** BUILD X-TRANSPOSE IN LT *****
C      DC 20 I=1 J=1 N
C      DO 10 J=1 N
C      XT(J,I)=X(I,J)
C      10 20

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20  CCNTINUE
C**** XT * X = XRES ****
C
DC 50 I=1 N
DO 40 J=1 N
  SUM=C,0D0
  DO 30 K=1 N
    SUM=SUM+(XT(I,K)*X(K,J))
    CCNTINUE(I,J)=SUM
  30
  40  CCNTINUE
  50  CCNTINUE
      RETURN
      END
C**** MATRIX MULTIPLICATION XT * Y = XTY ****
C
C SUBROUTINE PMTHUL (XT(4,8),XT(4,8),XT(4,4),XT(4,4),SUM
C
C**** XT*8 Y(8),XT(4,8),XT(8,4),XT(4,4),SUM
C**** XT(I,J)=X(I,J)
C**** BUILD XT ****
C
DC 20 I=1 N
DO 10 J=1 N
  XT(J,I)=X(I,J)
10  CCNTINUE
20  CCNTINUE
C**** XT * Y = XTY ****
C
DC 50 I=1 N
SUM=0,0D0
DO 40 J=1 N
  SUM=SUM+(XT(I,J)*Y(J))
  40  CCNTINUE
  50  CCNTINUE
      RETURN
      END
C**** ****
C
C SUBROUTINE SORT (Y,N)
C IN PLACE SORT USING SHELL ALGORITHM ****
C
REAL Y(N),TEMP
INTEGER GAF
LOGICAL EXCH

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C      GAP=(N/2)
10     IF (NOT.(GAP.NE.0) ) GO TO 500
      CONTINUE
      EXCH=TRUE.
      K=N-GAP
      DO 200 I=1, K
      NK=I+GAP
      IF (NCT.(Y(I).GT.Y(NK))) GO TO 100
      TEMP=Y(I)
      Y(I)=Y(NK)
      Y(NK)=TEMP
      EXCH=.FALSE.
      CONTINUE
100    IF (.NOT.(EXCH)) GO TO 10
      GAP=(GAP/2)
      GO TO 5
200    CONTINUE
      RETURN
C      END
      500  CONTINUE

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